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British Inquiry Bares Methods Of Arms Firms

Lloyd George Charges Use of Rearmament Tales to Get Orders

Starts Costly Race

Battleships Sales Promoted to Give Higher Profits, Ex-Premier Alleges

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
LONDON, May 6.—That the armor barons have now once more to their own financial advantage pulled the wool over the eyes of the peoples of Europe was the main theme of sensational evidence given by Mr. David Lloyd George before the Royal Commission on the Private Manufacture of Arms here today.

This evidence, given in a quiet conversational tone by the white-haired "elder statesman" in the oak-paneled chamber of the Middlesex Guild Hall, is supported by a remarkable statement by Prof. William A. Bone in the current issue of the London Nineteenth Century Magazine.

German Arming Minimized
Professor Bone produces massed statistics to prove the physical impossibility of Germany having rearmament to anything like the vast extent which has been accepted in Britain as correct.

Mr. Lloyd George not only confirmed this doubt, but adds to it an explanation based on his own unrivaled experience of the wiles of armament firms. These firms, he alleges, have not only disseminated in each country insidious propaganda unduly magnifying the rearmament which is proceeding in rival states, but have put emphasis upon those more particularly costly items—battleships.

The arms firms have thus succeeded in frightening each government into competitive action upon "an uncalculated scale," Mr. Lloyd George says. At the same time, he charges, the arms makers have induced a vast expenditure upon useless battleships simply because there is more profit to themselves in constructing these monsters than there would be in building destroyers and cruisers, which are likely to be actually more valuable in any future war.

Another point which has left a decided impression was also made by Mr. Lloyd George. It is that a colossal mistake is being made, also in the interests of arms makers.

Tests and Plans Overlooked
This mistake consists in failing to recognize that in order to be prepared for eventualities it is infinitely more important to carry out experiments, prepare plans, design models, and plants and organize resources, so that the whole manufacturing strength of the nation may be thrown without delay at any moment into making what is required, than to fritter away money as is being done now in making vast quantities of offensive weapons liable to become obsolete before they are used. Mr. Lloyd George, in this connection, quoted his own experiences in the World War.

Gilt on armament gingerbread melted by British tax rise: Page 6.

Little Trees Gain Over Big Ones In British Columbia

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
VICTORIA, B. C.—British Columbia, now largely dependent in an economic sense on its huge lumber industry, must face the fact that the world will not require big trees in the future and must prepare to reorganize its whole industrial structure, the provincial Legislature was told by Dr. Allen Harris, a noted young Canadian natural scientist of the University of British Columbia. He declared chemistry had perfected methods of utilizing small trees and making out of them lumber now cut from the giant timbers which are the chief commercial product of British Columbia.

The University of Iowa, he said, had conducted experiments which had succeeded in making imitation wood of the highest quality and imitating every known species, out of peanut shells and cotton stalks. Soon, he believed, the United States would require no further pulp and paper from Canada—a business which forms one of Canada's leading exports to its neighbor. Instead, the United States would meet all its own needs for raw material through the use of small trees, and after 10 years' growth, and of other articles convertible by chemistry into an innumerable variety of commercial products.

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Poised for Flight to U. S.



Wide World
Hindenburg at Cologne
Famous Airship Which Is Starting Its First Trip to the United States

Airship-Bremen Talk Planned On Zeppelin's Trip

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Ger., May 6 (P).—Motors of the Hindenburg were put through final tests today and pronounced ready for the giant airship's first North American cruise, which begins tonight with 50 passengers and a huge cargo of mail aboard.

The Zeppelin's scheduled time of departure was 8 p. m. (2 p. m. E. S. T.), and it is due to arrive at Lakehurst, N. J., sometime Saturday afternoon.

An extra motor was taken aboard and technical appliances given a last tuning. More hydrogen gas was placed in the bags and two and one half tons of foodstuffs shipped.

The passenger list included Sir Hubert Wilkins, the explorer, and Lady Wilkins; Ministerial Director Karl Ritter of the German Foreign Office; William B. Leeds, tinplate millionaire and lieutenant commander in the United States Naval Reserve, and Mrs. Leeds, and Lord Mayor Fritz Krebs of Frankfurt-am-Main.

Although Dr. Hugo Eckener, Zeppelin designer and commander, will be aboard the Hindenburg as on its recent maiden voyage to South America, the ship again will be under the control of Capt. Ernst A. Lehmann.

A special wireless telephone conversation between Captain Lehmann and Commodore Ziegenbein, commander of the New York-bound liner Bremen is scheduled for Thursday evening.

Other wireless reports will be exchanged between the Hindenburg and both Friedrichshafen and Lakehurst, so actually four sending sets will be in operation.

Lothian Foresees Taking of Resort to War From Covenant

Backs Peace League

By the Marquis of Lothian
Written for The Christian Science Monitor
LONDON, May 6.—Italian occupation of Addis Ababa is going to raise some very difficult questions. It seems highly improbable that the League powers, having hesitated while the issue was in doubt to close the Suez Canal to Italian ships—the only action which would have forced Premier Mussolini to discuss a reasonable peace—will take any decisive action now Emperor Haile Selassie is in flight.

If so the world will be in the presence of another unrepentant successful violation not only of the Covenant of the League, which prohibits aggression, but of the international convention against the use of poison gas.

Peaceful Revision Not Used

However legitimate may have been Italy's claim for better economic conditions, and whatever the conditions of backwardness in Ethiopia itself, the fact that violence has once more succeeded and that revisions by pacific methods have once more failed is ominous reading for a world that wants peace.

Mussolini's victory is going to present a very difficult problem to Britain. There doesn't seem to be much reason to doubt that his ultimate object throughout has been to obtain a position in the central Mediterranean and in Ethiopia, which

Business Leaders Are Asked to Help Youth to Careers

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
WASHINGTON, May 6.—A special committee of well-known figures in the business world was set up here yesterday by the American Youth Commission to find ways of spanning the gap now existing for young people between the completion of their education and satisfactory employment.

Members of the committee are Owen D. Young, chairman of the General Electric Company; Ralph Budd, president of the Burlington Railroad; Henry I. Harriman, former president of the United States Chamber of Commerce; Matthew Woll, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, and Dr. Homer P. Rainey, director of the American Youth Commission.

A conference will be called at an early date by this committee for the purpose of effecting a closer co-ordination in the future between formal education and work experience.

At the same time, the commission recommended the formation by every community in the nation of a youth council to develop its own plans for the care, education and employment of its youth.

"At present," it was explained, "there is too little relationship between an individual's education and his vocational adjustment to life, and there is often a long period between the time a youth leaves school and the beginning of employment. The commission believes that it is socially desirable for society, through its schools, to maintain a relationship to youth until they have found their places in the vocational life of society."

Steps to Security

SO FAR from destroying the world movement for collective security and organized peace, the seizure of Ethiopia by force of arms has aroused the nations to a deeper sense of their peril if the campaign for security is not pressed with redoubled vigor.

Many views have been set forth as to how the new situation should be faced, and the Monitor from time to time will print articles outlining proposals by leading political thinkers.

In the following article the Marquis of Lothian, former British Under-Secretary for India and an acknowledged authority on international affairs, gives his solution of this vital problem.

'League Must Go On'

LONDON, May 6 (P).—"It is clear that the League of Nations must go on," said Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden in the House of Commons today. "In the modern world it is absolutely indispensable for the organization of international affairs."

Landon Slate Trails Hoover In California

Hearst-Merriam Faction Passed by Voters for Uninstructed Delegation

Obeys Instructions

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
WASHINGTON, May 6.—A partial setback in Gov. Alf M. Landon's campaign for the Republican presidential nomination was recorded by the voters of California yesterday when they rejected a Landon delegation backed by William Randolph Hearst and Gov. Frank P. Merriam and preferred an uninstructed delegation supported by former President Hoover.

But many in the uninstructed group are reported to be favorable to Governor Landon. He expects to receive numerous California delegation votes at Cleveland. The importance of the defeat of the Hearst-Merriam slate is its revelation of the political handicap such a group of supporters constitutes. Moreover, it reflects on Governor Landon's tactics in accepting all supporters who came to Topeka to offer their allegiance, and is interpreted here as a sharp rebuke to his managers' efforts to get the Cleveland nomination, along what are called the pussypot paths of least resistance.

Landon Lead in South Dakota

In South Dakota, an uninstructed slate pledged to Governor Landon was running slightly ahead of the Borah slate. The Idaho Senator had expected to carry South Dakota. The Democratic vote was running strongly in Indiana. Incumbent Democrats appeared to be renominated, as did the Alabama House delegation and Senator John H. Bankhead. Senator Borah at Zanesville, Ohio, declared that if either Governor Landon or Colonel Knox goes to Cleveland "with a fair expression of the people that he is their choice, I'm not going to stand in the way."

Incomplete returns from California gave today a clear picture of what the final result would be. In 8482 precincts out of the State's 11,708 the Warren, or uninstructed delegation got 269,649 votes, while the Landon slate received 193,504.

Roosevelt Vote Piles Up
While this keen intraparty fight was on in Republican ranks, and should have brought out a sizable vote, President Roosevelt was rolling up the total of 594,042 votes in the same precincts. His opponents in the Democratic primary received: Upton Sinclair (Epic plan), 73,730; Representative John S. McGroarty (Townsend plan), 42,548.

The Roosevelt lead over his irregular or left-wing Democratic opposition was thus almost 6 to 1—just about the same advantage he held over the conservative right-wing opposition in Maryland on Monday, led by Col. Henry Breckinridge. But President Roosevelt's lead over the combined Republican forces of the Hearst-Merriam and Hoover factions, was five to four.

"Since this vote was largely a 'courtesy' ballot for the President, national Democratic leaders considered it an excellent showing, proving their claims that California has swung definitely into the Democratic column in the last two or three years. Many of the Sinclair ballots and some of the McGroarty votes are expected to be cast for President Roosevelt in November.

Governor Landon's defeat in California was in name only, since some of the Warren uninstructed delegation votes were expected to be cast for President Roosevelt in November.

Can Sanctions Win?

as France and very mountainous, and Britain has considered how she is to deal with the menace thus created by Mussolini to her long established communications with the East through the Mediterranean.

But perhaps the most important aspect of the present crisis is the effect it will have on the League of Nations.

Efforts Must Be Unified

The League, standing as it does for unity of men and nations, symbolizes an eternal imperishable ideal. There can be no sure progress toward peace without some unifying organization among nations.

But the recent experience has dealt grievous blows to the League in its present form. The first shock was the withdrawal of Japan. Germany and Brazil following on the original abstention of the United States from the League. But the Ethiopian shock is by far the worst of all. Manchuria was far away. The United States and Russia were not then members of the League. Japan was already in partial occupation of Manchuria and the control of the Nanking Government over Manchuria was not very firm.

The conquest of Ethiopia, on the other hand, involved the clearest possible case of aggression. League

Federal Power Agency Advised For Northwest

Resources Board Points Out Need to Congress for Development

Co-ordination Urged

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
WASHINGTON, May 6.—Congress was told by the National Resources Committee today that it should enact legislation at this session looking toward regional development of the mammoth new power facilities in the Pacific Northwest.

Transmitting its report to President Roosevelt, the National Resources Committee pointed out that Bonneville power will be available within 18 months and later power will be generated at Grand Coulee and other potential Columbia River projects.

"The establishment of a power agency is needed to begin without delay the important task of exploring the alternative possibilities of rate structure in relation to the developing industrial and economic problems of the Pacific Northwest," the committee declared.

For New Federal Agency

The committee told the President that it occurred in a recommendation of the Pacific Northwest Regional Planning Commission made some time ago "that a new and separate federal corporation agency should be established for the distribution and marketing of the power from the Bonneville Dam, and that such an agency might well consist of three members appointed by and responsible to the President."

"Such an agency," it was said, "would keep to the front the social and economic purposes underlying the Government's power development at Bonneville and ultimately Grand Coulee, and would secure for the whole region the benefits of this large federal expenditure."

Other recommendations made by the committee call for:

Adoption of a sales policy making rates similar over large areas, passing along economies in the prices of wholesale power to the ultimate consumer.

Construction of a superpower or grid system of connected transmission lines.

Provision of a continuous regional or interstate planning organization with federal financial assistance.

Application of a policy of intensive management for sustained yields on private and public forest areas.

Approval by Congress of the Interior and Agriculture of the economic feasibility of irrigation projects before they are developed.

Mexican Statistics Show 160,000 Aliens At Work in Country

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
MEXICO, D. F.—The first complete statistics on the number of foreigners in business in Mexico, as well as the occupations at which they earn their living, have just been made public here by the Department of National Economy.

At present there are 160,000 foreigners working in this country. The Spaniards dedicate themselves almost exclusively to commerce; the Chinese are distributed in commerce, agriculture and other industries; the Americans are the most widely distributed of all, as there is scarcely an industry which they haven't tried.

Without taking into account the various nationalities, the number of foreigners in each main industry is as follows: in domestic labor, 38,367; commercial activities, 28,577; in agriculture, cattle raising, etc., 16,181; in commercial industry, 9362; in professional work, 3198; in communications and transports, 961; in public administration, 642.

In Mexico as well as in other countries the preference of certain nationalities for certain types of work is very obvious. Only the Americans here have shown a tendency to investigate all types of activities. There are approximately 6000 of them in mining, agriculture, the professions, commerce and other industries and trades.

Ontario Federation Urged by Unionists

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
TORONTO.—A group of trade unionists are urging the establishment of an Ontario Federation of Labor, similar to the provincial federations in Alberta and New Brunswick, to deal expeditiously with provincial labor situations. The matter will be broached at the next convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

The present provincial executive of the congress has power to deal provincially only with matters decided on by the convention, while provincial matters which arise after the convention and call for labor action seem to depend on the intervention of the labor council of the immediate locality, it was argued.

Stronger Sanctionist Front Urged to Cut Rome's Gains As Italy Plans Exploitation

Monitor Writer Recalls Slow but Sure Progress Made by Ethiopia

World Experiment In Partial Eclipse

Stronger Nations Aiding Weaker Real Issue in East African Debacle

By R. H. Markham

VIENNA, May 6.—The collapse of Ethiopia and the prospective imposition of a Roman peace, not only brings to an end a very ancient kingdom but also thwarts very precious hopes.

Ethiopia was a very poorly organized state, wherein one tribe rather ruthlessly dominated several others. But progress was being made. Ethiopia's development and independence were a test case for the world commonwealth of states.

Making Slow Progress

The most backward of all kingdoms had joined the League of Nations and had asked its richer, wiser, more advanced brothers to help it get ahead. It engaged foreign advisers, opened schools, built roads, established some order, and was moving forward. Of course, progress was slow but Ethiopia, with justice, urged that its brothers show patience and good will.

Not the Moment
Millions of people from many lands thought the world had reached that stage in the development of international organization when the strong and wise would help the weak and simple. They believe the world would enable a struggling state to rise, instead of taking advantage of its weakness to pillage it. This is the hope that has been blasted.

Emperor Devoted and Wise
The man who undertook to lead forward this collection of backward tribes, Haile Selassie, showed himself devoted, persistent, moderate and wise. He sought association with the western world and introduced reforms just as rapidly as they could be enforced, striving ever to obtain co-operation between impatient youths and their conservative fathers. As he made these efforts to

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Governor of Rome To Rule Addis Ababa

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Rome, May 6
MARSHAL PIETRO BADOLIO, establishing Italian rule over Addis Ababa, named Giuseppe Bottai, Governor of Rome, as Civil Governor of the former imperial Ethiopian capital today.

Roman Fascists accepted this action as a carrying out of Premier Benito Mussolini's proclamation, after the occupation of Addis Ababa yesterday, that "Ethiopia is Italian."

Marshal Badoglio, commander-in-chief of the Fascist forces, telegraphed thanks to Premier Mussolini for the Duce's praise of the army and workers who effected the fall of Ethiopia's capital.

"We are all happy to have lived up to the country's expectation in our work," Marshal Badoglio said.

Italians in Gala Mood on Entering Ethiopian Capital

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WITH THE ITALIAN ARMY IN ADDIS ABABA, May 6.—Marshal Pietro Badoglio's Northern Italian Army fulfilled its mission of occupation of Addis Ababa today, bringing Fascist rule to the capital of the former Ethiopian Empire.

At the head of a motor cavalcade of 1000 trucks and 30,000 troops, the Italian commander-in-chief entered Emperor Haile Selassie's capital at 4 p. m. (8:30 a. m. E. S. T.) yesterday.

The troops found the French Sisters' Mission in flames and much of the city sacked from the native riots and pillaging since the Negus Negusti abandoned the seat of his Government last Saturday.

Americans Driven Out
The residents of the American Legation had been driven to the British Legation, guarded by barbed wire entanglements.

The Italian troops were fired on by brigands, hidden in eucalyptus

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British Party Lines Cut by New Drive to Back League

Laborites Propose Increased Pressure

Government Hesitates But Powerful Forces Seen At Work in London

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

LONDON, May 6.—After the first shock of disillusionment which followed the Emperor's decision to leave Ethiopia, sanctionists here have begun to renew their campaign for continuance of the collective pressure on Italy until such time as Premier Benito Mussolini capitulates.

The League of Nations Union, the National Council of Labor, the National Liberal Federation have all come down heavily on the side of maintaining sanctions. The Laborites urge that the pressure should be "intensified."

Liberals Urge Action
Liberals implore the Government to "reflect before it is too late upon the awful consequences that have resulted and may still result from its policy of timorous inaction and half-heartedness."

The League of Nations Union, after a deputation had seen Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, issued a communiqué in which it declared that it "had not altered its conviction" that the policy of collective pressure "should still be carried out."

Powerful Influences at Work
The Government has not yet made up its mind. But powerful interests are at work urging it to drop sanctions forthwith and accept the "fait accompli." According to reports from Paris, Alberto Pirelli, well-known Italian industrialist, is taking part with Dino Grandi, Italy's Ambassador here, in attempts to persuade the Foreign Office to come to terms with Italy at once. The statement cannot be definitely substantiated, but there is no doubt that consultations are going on here and at Rome with a view to finding out Premier Mussolini's intentions—though to most people these are fairly obvious from his speech at Rome yesterday. The phrase, "Ethiopia is Italian," seems conclusive enough to require little explanation although it is noticed that the Duce did not actually use the word "annexation."

Can Winner Yet Lose?
Meanwhile sanctionists recall the fact that Earl Stanhope, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said in the House of Lords as recently as April 29 that we have "to prove to the winning side—if there is a winning side—that even having won she is very much worse off and has failed." He also said: "So long as we can maintain the Sanctions Front I still believe Italy will find she is in a far worse position—her people, finances, trade—than she would have been if she had never gone to war."

Lord Stanhope is a Conservative, but it is probable a majority of other Conservatives would not accept this view today. Some do, but sanctionists are mainly found in the Opposition camp. The issue, however, cuts right across party politics.

Cecil Urges More Sanctions
Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, while admitting in an article in today's Daily Herald that "it may be too late to save Abyssinia," in an interview published in the Manchester Guardian says: "We cannot say that Abyssinia has ceased to exist and until that happens we are not entitled to relax the existing sanctions

Landon Delegation Loses In California Primary

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tion—so named for the state chairman who heads it, Earl Warren, an old friend of former President Hoover—are expected to support the Landon candidacy at Cleveland if events shape in that direction. Many of his supporters refused to vote for the Hearst-Merriam promoted Landon slate. The "Landon-for-President" clubs of Los Angeles openly urged their members to vote against the Landon list.

The national importance of the California primary thus does not lie in the selection of an unimportant delegate, but in the blow it strikes at Governor Landon's watchful waiting strategy, based upon admission to the Landon bandwagon of anybody who cared to climb aboard.

Now Pays Penalty
The California assembly, a group of young Republicans, spotlighted, by means of a nationally circulated pamphlet, the difficulties they had with various Topeka politicians, from the Governor down. They urged, months ago, that a Hearst-Merriam-backed Landon ticket would lead to defeat, and implored Governor Landon to avoid such allies.

But Governor Landon took the line that "you can't keep people from supporting you," and permitted the Hearst-Merriam group to put his name in nomination. Now his acquiescence has received a sharp rebuke from the voters.

Judgment on the Landon results is being sharpened by the political experts today, and they conclude that while arguments as to the meaning of Colonel Breckinridge's 20 per cent protest-vote showing may

last until election day, they nevertheless leave Maryland definitely on the "doubtful" list. James A. Farley's claims that Maryland is safely Democratic are no longer justified.

As Maryland Goes
Explanations general in Washington are not only the obvious one, that many Maryland Democrats don't like the New Deal, but that the state organization is disgruntled over patronage, and perhaps deliberately did not exert itself to roll up a strong Roosevelt vote. Having alarmed the Democratic higher command in Washington about results in November, they can extract many patronage promises.

Application of Colonel Breckinridge's percentage of dissent to the 1932 figures, reduces President Roosevelt's prospective lead in Maryland to 17,000 votes—a scant majority. From that lead must be subtracted the Republicans who voted for Mr. Roosevelt in 1932 and are now back in their own party. That is why observers are now putting Maryland on the doubtful list, and recalling that for about half a century, "as Maryland went, so went the nation."

Close in South Dakota
In South Dakota, returns from 1041 among 1941 precincts gave Governor Landon 25,071 votes and Senator Borah 23,021. This scant lead left the State doubtful, with the chances, however, of a Landon success.

In Indiana, counting 2011 of 3842 precincts, Democratic candidates polled 163,968 votes against 146,043 for Republican candidates, indicating that the State may remain in the New Deal column. Incumbent congressmen were renominated. Candidates sponsoring the Townsend plan or backed principally by the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin's Union for Social Justice, fell behind the regular candidates.

Split in Alabama
A sharp split over the "hand-picking" of Roosevelt delegates in Alabama was shown on the ballot, when the President received an overwhelming vote, but Leon McCord, present national committeeman, got a large majority over Matt Murphy, an Administration candidate. Senator Bankhead and the sitting congressmen were holding leads, although Representative George Huddleston, anti-New Dealer was farthest behind and may have to participate in the runoff.

The Republican state committee in Tennessee endorsed Governor Landon's candidacy, giving him the votes of four delegates at large, and a good prospect of most of the 13 other delegates.

Finally, Senator Borah's Zanesville speech came nearer to pledging his support for the Republican can-

Transvaal's Gold Still Leads World

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

Aliwal North, S. A.

THE Transvaal is still easily the biggest gold producing area, with an estimated output for 1935 of 10,766,000 ounces. This is 36 per cent of the world total and 280,000 ounces in excess of the 1934 production, according to statistics published here.

Russia retains second place with an output of 5,000,000 ounces, the United States is put third with 3,532,000, and Canada fourth with 3,254,000. The output of Russia, it is pointed out, has been trebled in the last five years.

candidate, whoever he may be, than anything he has previously said. But that it means Senator Borah is permanently on the Republican reservation, and will not "bolt" the Cleveland nominee, would be a rash assumption.

Nobody can tell until the nominee is chosen whether Senator Borah will stand. And even then, if the Idaho leader follows precedent and retires to his native state, there to work for his own Senate seat, his national stand may not be particularly clear or helpful to the Republican candidate.

Administration Seeks House Votes to Block Frazier-Lemke Bill

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, May 5—Administration leaders in the House are facing a busy week of vote-gathering under instructions to assure the defeat, if possible, of the inflationary Frazier-Lemke Farm Mortgage Relief Bill. The measure has been held up for a year in the rules committee, but a vote at an early date, probably next Monday, has been forced under the discharge rule.

Every possible effort has been made by the Administration to keep the measure which would authorize under certain conditions the issue of new currency up to \$3,000,000,000 at 1½ per cent interest from a direct vote in Congress. But a combination of inflationist and farm relief forces aided by Republicans delighted at the prospect of embarrassing Mr. Roosevelt finally succeeded last week in securing the 218th signature to a discharge petition which automatically forces the bill to the floor for a vote.

It is still the hope of the House leadership to defeat the measure in the House. Their party whips believe it can be done, but some astute vote estimators in the chamber hold a contrary opinion. It certainly remains a possibility that the measure will reach the President's desk where he would presumably veto it.

It is just that veto, which would unquestionably weaken Roosevelt strength in the farm belt, which Republicans would like to see and for which several have put their names to the petition, although opposed to the bill itself.

The bill authorizes the Farm Credit Administration to refinance all farm mortgages. The money is to be raised by bonds, but if these cannot be sold, the Federal Reserve is to accept them and issue the new currency to the farm administration.

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Its News in Focus

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gates, has won his fight for some means of influence at the Republican convention.

2. Herbert Hoover, by successfully "putting over" the uninstructed slate, has temporarily, at least, broken the onward sweep of Landon victories.

3. President Roosevelt has (barring later contradictory tabulations) polled more votes than all his opponents, thereby moving close to California's vital 22 electoral votes.

Maryland's incomplete returns disclose President Roosevelt to have obtained 5½ votes to Col. Henry Breckinridge's 1.

South Dakota's as yet incomplete returns indicated that Landon ran slightly ahead of Borah.

Democratic Registrations High
The last few weeks have witnessed rapid-fire political developments. Democrats have read hilling predictions into primary outcomes. In Pennsylvania on April 23, the President swamped Col. Breckinridge by 20 votes to one. The Pennsylvania registration was acclaimed the largest on record, 150,000 greater than in 1932. In West Virginia, Democratic spokesmen claim to have built up the Democratic majority fivefold since 1932. The Republicans' 1932 majority of 172,000 in Oregon has shrunk to less than 100,000. Small towns in Massachusetts which formerly supported only three or four Democratic registrants emerged with 30 to 50 in the primaries, an unexpected development in rural New England.

Other Straws in Wind
Apart from the primaries, the formation of the Good Neighbor League was announced April 23. It is designed to counteract the American Liberty League and to unite certain progressive, pacifist and philanthropic groups behind President Roosevelt.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, yesterday announced his endorsement of President Roosevelt.

Landon Has Pole
In the Republican ranks, Alf Landon, Governor of Kansas, appears to have the inside track over Knox, Borah and other prospects. The lavish writing-in of Landon preferences in the Massachusetts primaries seemed to indicate great success for the probable Republican strategy of building up a candidate acceptable to both the industrial East and the West.

Nevertheless the Landon skies have been somewhat clouded by two events:

1. His defeat in California yesterday, which may be more apparent than real.

2. Senator Borah's recent attack, in which he has been interpreted as connecting Landon with the oil interests in his State. It is recalled that a promising Frank Lowden boom was dissipated by rumors directed against some of his political workers.

Many Delegates Chosen
The Republicans have now elected 685 of their 1001 delegates. Approximately 433 delegates are uninstructed, Landon's manager, however, has claimed at least 330 of these delegates. Definitely instructed for or endorsing Landon are about 112 delegates. Knox has about 78, Borah 21 and Vandenberg 38. Borah lays claim to a portion of the 57 Illinois delegates now claimed by Knox.

The Democrats have selected 552 of their 1100 delegates.

Balkan Entente—Rifts Closed at Belgrade

Belgrade, Yugoslavia—The Balkan Entente—Yugoslavia, Roumania, Greece and Turkey—have witnessed the closing of one of its potential rifts. Roumania has won from Turkey the guarantee that the Dardanelles would not be closed without consultation with its Balkan allies. Thus Turkey has purchased Roumanian acquiescence in its plan to fortify the Dardanelles. And a threatened breach in the Entente is closed.

Roumanian shipping has access only to the Black Sea. To enter the lanes of commerce, Roumania's ships must pass through the Dardanelles. Hence Roumania was particularly apprehensive about any development that might close the straits.

Greece and Yugoslavia, however, are at odds. Greece refuses to guarantee aid to Yugoslavia in case of conflict with Albania. Greece states that Albania is practically an Italian puppet state, argues that its interests are geographically distant. Greece is ever mindful of its exposed shore-line so vulnerable to Italian naval attack. Yugoslavia retaliates by stating it will not oppose Bulgaria's demand to rearm. Incidentally Bulgaria has been designated by many historians as the only nation exclusively of the Balkans. Yet Bulgaria is not in the Balkan Entente.

Budget—British Inquiry Into Leakage

London—Britain has always taken elaborate precautions to insure the secrecy of its budget until it is taken from a red morocco box by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the House of Commons. But this year, while the budget still lay neatly folded in "secrecy," insurance rates against increases in tea and income taxes kited skyward under heavy trading. And when the budget was read, it was disclosed that there were increases in both tea and income taxes.

Britain had obviously witnessed either an extraordinary display of prescience on the part of certain individuals or there had been a leakage. The Government has moved to investigate. A high court judge and two attorneys will take over the inquiry.

Townsend Trek Starts With Songs and Cheers

LOS ANGELES, May 6 (P)—A crowd of 80 gray-haired men and women prayed, sang hymns and cheered yesterday as the Townsend plan caravan began its cross-country trek to Washington. They rode away in 20 automobiles on the first lap of a drive to relay a mass of pension-supporting petitions to Congress.

Leaders hope to have 10,000,000 signatures urging adoption of the McGroarty old-age pension bill—the Townsend measure pay the time the caravan reaches Washington. A crowd of 1000 pension advocates was on hand as the caravan moved toward El Centro, Calif., its first stop. Two trucks resembling the prairie schooners of the California gold rush held the honor positions. In them will be stored the anticipated stacks of signatures, obtained in the swing across the country. The caravan is due in Washington May 16.

Film Firms Sponsor Fellowships to Aid College Dramatists

NEW YORK, May 5—A "bureau of new plays," sponsored by seven leading American film companies, is to seek new play-writing talent among college students and recent graduates, according to an announcement made yesterday by Miss Theresa Helburn, of the Theater Guild. Six prizes of \$500 each are to be awarded annually in addition to annual fellowships of \$2500 and annual scholarships of \$1200, as a means of subsidizing promising writers.

The first manuscripts will be receivable in November. The film companies are to have the opportunity in rotation of financing the production of plays regarded as suitable for stage presentation.

The \$500 grants are to be outright awards in classes of plays defined as the best comedy or drama of human relations on a romantic or domestic theme, the best play on a social theme, the best melodrama, the best farce, the best satirical play and the best character play, modern or historic.

In some quarters, the establishment of the awards is regarded as a move by the film producers to ensure a supply to stories in the form of stage material from sources outside the membership of the Dramatists' Guild, which is engaged in a dispute with the New York play producers over various contract terms that include the division of money from sales of plays to the films.

A spokesman for Miss Helburn denied that there was any such intent in the establishment of the bureau of new plays.

Miners Consent To Wage Contract With Operators

NEW YORK, May 6 (P)—The full scale committee of the United Mine Workers of America today unanimously authorized its representatives to go ahead with the writing of a contract with anthracite operators after the major points had been approved at a miners-operators' meeting.

Conferees who broke a deadlock early this morning prepared to start final discussions at once.

John L. Lewis, president of the mine workers, said drafting of the document probably would be completed tomorrow.

The miners' scale committee met for two hours before Mr. Lewis announced it had approved the mediation which a subcommittee had carried on with operators' representatives.

Final Terms
Philip Murray, vice-president of the Mine Workers; Lieut. Gov. Thomas Kennedy of Pennsylvania, secretary-treasurer, and Martin Brennan, president of District No. Nine, were chosen to meet with three operators in drawing up the final terms.

While they and the operators declined to comment, it was reported by reliable sources that the present wage levels would be maintained under the new two-year contract and that a complete checkoff of union dues would be granted.

A form of equalization of working time in idle collieries also is expected to be granted, it was learned.

Seven-Hour Day Ahead

A seven-hour day in the second year of the contract also may be put into effect, these sources said. Miners now work eight hours a day, six days a week, and were seeking a six-hour, five-day week.

The equalization and hour questions, it was said, are tied up with a solution of the "stolen coal" problem over which operators have shown concern. They have asked the co-operation of the miners in settling this question, which is reported to involve about 10 per cent of total production.

With Government Help

The joint wage conference of 14 men, aided by Edward F. McGrady, Assistant Secretary of Labor, reached a general agreement at 1 a. m., Eastern Standard Time.

The present contract, in effect for five and a half years, expired March 31, but was twice extended while the conference, in session since Feb. 24, sought to reconcile the divergent views of the operators and the United Mine Workers of America.

Mr. McGrady informed Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins by telephone of the success that had crowned his efforts, and he said he expected she would advise President Roosevelt, who issued an appeal last week urging that suspension be avoided. More than 105,000 men are employed in the industry.

Bust at Carnegie Hall Honors Philanthropist

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, May 6—Generous acts of the late Robert E. Simon, philanthropist, were remembered today after friends unveiled a bronze bust of him in the lobby of Carnegie Hall, which he owned, yesterday. The bust, by Joseph Hovell, occupies a niche near one of Andrew Carnegie.

Presiding over the dedication was Mrs. Robert V. Russell, chairman of the Robert E. Simon Memorial Committee of the United Parent Associations, of which Mr. Simon was a founder. Mrs. Russell described four ways in which the committee was seeking to perpetuate Mr. Simon's memory. Besides the bust, they included the naming of a public school after the philanthropist, placing of a plaque in Town Hall and parental education projects.

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AKRON, Ohio, May 6—Flags flew, banners waved, balloons soared and students shouted.

And Senators William E. Borah and Arthur H. Vandenberg as "candidates for President and Vice-President," respectively, swept to victory in the first mock Republican national convention ever to be held at Akron University.

Their nomination came at the end of the final ballot—the fifth—with a vote of 507, when Borah's "delegates" got the Ohio group to swing 30 of their votes.

Senator Vandenberg, Col. Frank Knox and Senator Gerald P. Nye were presented as candidates for the vice-presidential position and Senator Vandenberg secured the nomination on the first count. The vote was 533-468-0.

It took just three hours of parading, platforming, debating, convincing and voting, to do this nominating business. From the opening gun of the huge parade to the final bugle blast, as darkness settled over the campus, the convention was a scene of serious comedy. One minute the youthful orators were shouting angrily at their opponents, the next they were all joining in a loud laugh at one of the frequent hilarities which enlivened the proceedings.

At the conclusion of the session, Chester S. Wise, Akron attorney who acted as permanent chairman remarked, "This was a fine demonstration of the political interest which modern college students are showing. It was a genuine small-scale copy of the real thing."

Mr. Wise as keynote speaker, said: "For the past three years this country has been under a system called the New Deal," he said. "We agree that it is new but we are not so sure it is a deal. The Administration promised green fields and a detectable country. We have not reached them. Instead we are in a wilderness of exploded theories, unworkable idealism, impractical hypotheses, unfilled promises."

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Faulty Zoning Laws Blamed by Planners For Overcrowding

RICHMOND, Va., May 4 (P)—Delegates to the national conference on planning assembled for informal discussion at a "zoning breakfast" today, preliminary to launching a comprehensive program on the current development of county planning.

Edward M. Bassett, counsel for the New York Zoning Committee, who presided at the breakfast, turned the gavel over to Marshal N. Dana of Portland, Ore., district chairman of the National Resources Committee, for the morning session.

Problems of modern day city housing and zoning occupied the conference yesterday.

Harold S. Bittenheim, editor of The American City, asserted that "even in this year of enlightenment, 1936," regulations in some American cities would permit the housing of 100,000 persons on less than one tenth of a square mile.

"Boondogglers" in emergency relief work were encouraged in cities where there were no city plans or where plans were ignored. S. R. DeBoer, planning consultant of Denver, Colorado, told the approximately 200 delegates.

Charles B. Bennett, Milwaukee city planner, reported that research data on file with the Milwaukee planning commission was a detriment in the selection of that city for a \$2,800,000 PWA housing project and a \$7,500,000 resettlement administration suburban development.

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Sherwood's 'Idiot's Delight' Wins Pulitzer \$1000 Award

NEW YORK, May 5.—Robert E. Sherwood, American playwright, is the winner of the 1936 Pulitzer drama award of \$1000 for his anti-war play "Idiot's Delight," a current Broadway production. Announcement of the award was made by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, at the annual alumni dinner of the Columbia school of journalism at the Commodore Hotel last night.

Since this play does not deal specifically with American life, the advisory board of the school of journalism, in selecting it as the best drama of the current season, overruled its own regulation that a play to be considered for the award, "must deal preferably with American life." The announcement added that the advisory board had decided to abrogate the provision going away with the possibility of an award going more than once to the same playwright.

Criticism of the award followed Dr. Butler's announcement, as has happened almost invariably in the past in connection with these bestowals by the Pulitzer jury. Clayton Hamilton, dramatic critic, said the choice violated the jury's own rules, which give preference to a play dealing with the American scene, which this play does not do, the scene being in Switzerland.

Harold L. Davis, formerly a cowboy of Portland, Oregon, won the \$1000 prize for his first novel, "Honey in the Horn," a tale of life in Oregon which previously won the \$7500 novel prize awarded annually by Harper & Brothers.

"A Constitutional History of the United States," by Andrew C. McLaughlin, professor emeritus of history at the University of Chicago, was selected as the best book of the year on history of the United States, the author being awarded a prize of \$1000. It was published by the D. Appleton-Century Company.

Prof. Ralph Barton Perry of Harvard University, won the biographical prize of \$1000 for "The Thought and Character of William James," adjudged the best American biography, teaching patriotism and unselfish service to the people. It was published by Little, Brown & Co.

The poetry award was won by Robert P. Tristram Coffin with his book of verse called "Strange Holiness," published by Macmillan Company.

For the most distinguished and meritorious public service rendered by an American newspaper during the year, a gold medal costing \$500 was awarded to the Cedar Rapids (Iowa) Gazette for its campaign against corruption and misgovernment in the State of Iowa.

Felix Morley, editor of the Washington Post, and George B. Parkers, editor-in-chief of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, were awarded \$500 each for distinguished editorial writing during the year.

Larson D. Lyman of the New York Times won the award of \$1000 for the most distinguished example of reporting for his exclusive story revealing the departure of the Lindbergh family from the United States.

A posthumous award of \$500 was given Will Barrie of the Chicago Tribune for his reports of the war in Ethiopia.

No prize for a cartoon was made this year. Honorable mentions for distinguished foreign or Washington correspondence were awarded to Webb Miller of the United Press for his reports of the Italo-Ethiopian war; to Ashmun Brown of the Providence (R. I.) Evening Journal, for his Washington correspondence; to Jay C. Hayden of the Detroit (Mich.) News for a series of political articles written on a tour of the United States, and James A. Mills of the Associated Press for his story on the leasing of Ethiopian oil concessions to the Standard Oil Company.

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By a Staff Writer of The Christian Science Monitor

"A Rolling Home" gathers no moss—but it leads to plenty of scenery, and today thousands of American families are preparing for annual vacation treks in modern homes mounted on wheels as the idea of trailer traveling gains in popularity.

The covered wagons which roll along America's highways and byways are modern in every sense of the word. They are attractively styled, scientifically engineered for weight distribution, roadability and elimination of air resistance. Their interior is as comfortable and as adequately equipped as the modern home. They have a completeness of household, sleeping, dining and culinary provisions which finds response in the average woman's housewifely instincts.

More Than 250,000 Figures recently released show that there are now more than 250,000 of these trailer coaches being used by people today. Many families have them for year-round homes, while others hook them on to automobiles and start off for new terrains to visit national parks, mountains, and lakeland playgrounds.

Until late in 1934 the trailer of the house type was chiefly confined to families with diminished income or retired couples. From these people came the first large group of trailer enthusiasts. Next came men following professions and trades whose demand covers the nation and who acquired trailers so they could move about from place to place with their families. They found in such a scheme of living the opportunity of being with their family and also having the privilege of moving on whenever the urge presented itself.

Solution of Problem

The movement, insofar as the possibilities of these mobile homes on wheels go, is providing a solution to the high cost of houses and apartments. Many families are solving their economic problems by living in these trailer coaches. They are finding that it is possible to live comfortably for but half of what present living conditions entail, with the advantage of mobility. And if families find traveling irksome they can settle down and have all the privileges of a fixed residence.

Today's rolling homes are now offered to the public in a number of models and sizes on similar buying terms as automobiles. They combine home facilities such as the people of today demand with mobile speed in keeping with automobile travel.

Seeing America Because of the complete house-keeping facilities the trailer coach of today affords thousands of small families of limited income a solution of their problem of how to see America's outdoors.

Already there are more than 15,000 trailer camps in operation, where for a small weekly charge trailers are provided with parking space and recreational and camp facilities, including power lines and sewage connections. While these are as yet chiefly in the South, more and more northern towns and cities are providing such trailer camps within their gates. Very soon every community seeking to attract tourists will have such every trailer camps or else be wiped off the tourists' itinerary.

There is becoming apparent a definite trend toward larger, more spacious living trailers, and in meeting that demand the manufacturers have had to solve new problems in distribution of weight. Whereas two years ago the buying demand was for the smaller models that sold around \$400 to \$450 complete, the call is now for the larger 17 to 22 foot models that are offered today at prices ranging from just below \$800 up to \$1200.

Growing Industry This has been created a new and growingly important industry within the automobile world. Now out of its swaddling clothes, the trailer coach industry may be compared to the automobile industry in its early days. Already, at least in the case of the leading covered wagon plant, produced on an assembly line using skilled labor and mass production methods, the manufacture of travel trailers seems destined to become the outstanding development in the automotive field of recent years.

There are growing rumors that at least two of the larger automobile corporations are eyeing this lusty progeny with a view to undertaking production as part of their activities.

Truly does the covered wagon era appear to be returning, though in a new and modern setting. It is a great life that these rolling homes open the door to one that, during the next few years, millions of Uncle Sam's sons and daughters are going to take to.

Ketchikan Gains Special to The Christian Science Monitor

KETCHIKAN, Alaska—Ketchikan gained more than 300 residents by immigration between Seattle and Ketchikan in the first three months of the year, a study of travel statistics shows. The gain is due primarily to the usual spring influx of seasonal workers.

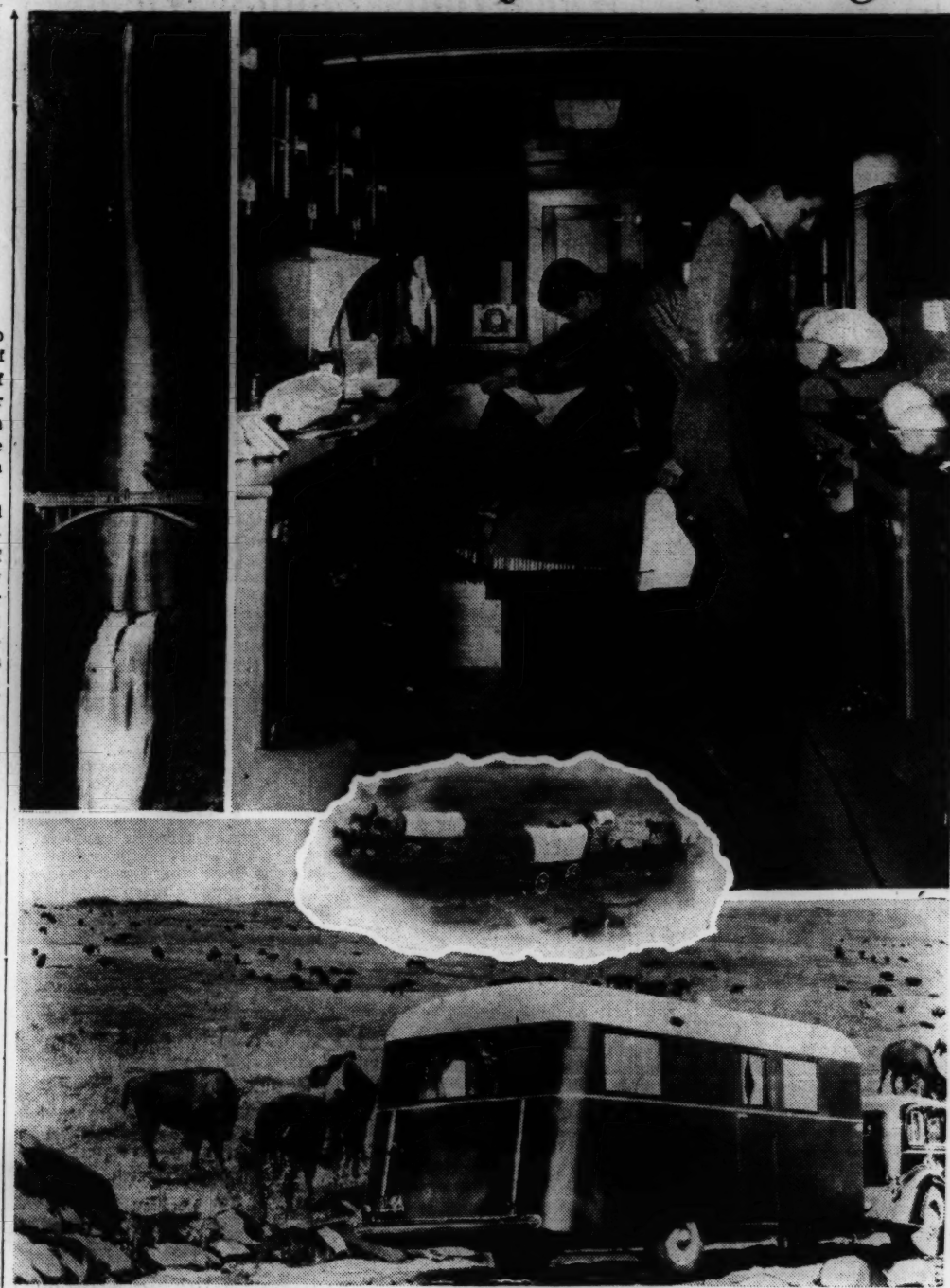
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Pulitzer Prize Paper Sees Iowa Gambling 'Crusade' Nullified

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 5 (P)—The State Supreme Court today wiped out "graft" cases against 31 persons indicted in a "crusade" which won the Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Gazette a Pulitzer prize.

The high state court held the indictments invalid. Its action marked the legal death of charges that a statewide graft and protection setup in connection with alleged protection for operators of slot machines existed and extended "into the State House in Des Moines."

Verne Marshall, editor of the Gazette, made the charges which prompted the original investigation by a special Woodbury County grand jury. The Pulitzer award which his paper received last night was for "the most distinguished and meritorious public service" among newspapers in his campaign.

The Woodbury County grand jury indicted in all 45 persons on 80 counts. Most of the charges were for alleged gambling (slot machine) conspiracy. The State claimed slot machine operators paid for "protection" from law forces.

Attorney General Edward L. O'Connor was the only one of 45 defendants named in the original indictments who faced trial. He was acquitted.

Legion Heads Accept Compromise on Aliens

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 6 (P)—The American Legion executive committee voted May 4 to recede from a part of its program for strict immigration regulatory legislation and accepted a compromise plan, much of which is incorporated in a bill pending in Congress.

The Legion, in its original pro-

Society Pays Honor To Famous Women From New England

NEW YORK, May 5.—Five women of New England whose busts are in the Hall of Fame at New York University were honored by New York City Colony, National Society of New England Women, today, when Mrs. George Howard, president of the colony, presided over the placing of wreaths on these busts. Busts of seven women are in the Hall of Fame, five of these being busts of women born in New England. They are:

Mary Lyon, founder of Mount Holyoke College, whose centennial will be celebrated in 1937; Emma Willard, pioneer educator for whom the Emma Willard School at Troy, N. Y., is named; Maria Mitchell, first woman astronomer; Charlotte Cushman, noted Shakespearean actress, and Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Assisting in the ceremonies were Mrs. Parlan Semple Jr., president-general of the National Society New England Women; Mrs. John Foster McMillan, chaplain-general; Mrs. Mary Lyon Aberley, Mrs. Hannah Cushman Howes, Mrs. George Stowe, Mrs. William W. Erwin, president of Twelfth Night Club; Mrs. Marion Gaylord Atwell, Mrs. A. H. Bridge, Miss Alice D. Butterfield and Mrs. L. F. Crumb.

Legislators Ponder \$83,000,000 Taxes For Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG, Penna., May 5.—The Pennsylvania Legislature, in extraordinary session, today has before it a schedule of new taxes prepared by Gov. George H. Earle calling for \$80,000,000 in new levies to meet the State's fiscal needs until the 1937 session and \$2,634,666 for social security that would enable the Commonwealth to benefit from federal legislation.

The special session began last night, when Governor Earle put his program before the lawmakers. He would increase the personal property tax by three mills, eliminate the exemption of securities of corporations now paying a capital stock and foreign franchise tax and would impose a graduated license tax upon chain-store organizations based on the number of stores.

He also proposed a 10 per cent tax on the sale of liquors to consumers and an excise tax on the sale of electric energy, both retail and wholesale; an increase in motor vehicle license fees upon heavy trucks and trailers and an increase of 4 per cent in the corporate net income tax rate.

Governor Earle also asked for funds for flood relief and control. A fight impends in the Legislature over the whole relief program.

Franc Seen in Peril Despite Denial by French Government

PARIS, May 6.—Despite official assurances that the franc is in no danger and therefore no special measures will be taken by the French Government to protect it, financial circles here continue to take a very serious view of the French monetary situation. Exports of gold in large quantities to buy foreign currency are still causing grave concern although the financial tension has been lessened somewhat by the Government's reassuring statement last night to the effect that there is no need for a gold embargo and none will be applied.

Anxiety Over Franc Anxiety over the fate of the franc nevertheless remains the dominant factor in the political picture at Paris today, overshadowing even apprehension at the consequences of the triumphal Italian entry into Addis Ababa.

The present Government's decision to remain in office until June, however, has in the opinion of most observers postponed action on the franc for a few weeks at least—though a sudden surprise move remains possible if the incipient monetary panic becomes accentuated.

What of League? Furthermore the announcement that both Foreign Minister Pierre Etienne Flandin and Minister for International Affairs Joseph Paul-Boncour will go to Geneva for the League's Council meeting May 11 has raised in official circles the problem of France's attitude toward Italy's annexation of Ethiopia and toward the League of Nations generally.

"Save What's Left" There are two opposing trends in opinion on both these questions. One is briefly summarized by the conclusion in the Socialist organ Le Populaire today which acquires added significance in view of the fact that the Socialists will dominate the next Cabinet. It says: "Mussolini's victory in Africa is not a colonial victory; it is a victory over the League, which it shakes down to its very foundations. If the League is not saved and consolidated, the Ethiopian war will be like the war in Tripoli in 1911-1912—prelude to a world war."

The other view, which finds fer-

vent supporters in present governmental circles, is that the only thing to do is to close the eyes to the fate of Ethiopia and to welcome Italy back into the European fold with redoubled efforts to enlist her forces on the side of the "status quo powers."

Some doubts are indeed expressed whether Italy, intoxicated by her success in Africa, will curb her very long her expansionist aims in the Adriatic. But this is generally termed a minor issue in comparison with the importance of reconstituting the Stresa Front.

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Italy Plans to Exploit Great African Empire

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

ROME, May 6.—Now that the first stage in building the "Fascist Empire" has been triumphantly concluded—and in the Duce's words, "Ethiopia is Italian"—the question what is to be the next stage is uppermost in everybody's thoughts.

In his speech last night Benito Mussolini emphasized Italy's onward march must now be made "in peace." He stated in the strongest terms the determination to defend the "shining victory" with the same firmness with which that victory has been gained. Now he is expected to turn attention to starting a colonization program as soon as possible.

Force for Exploitation

There are already 500,000 Italians in East Africa—a force sufficient to enable the work of pacific exploitation to be begun almost at once. Reports, which cannot yet be confirmed, have been current here for some time that Italy has already been assured of financial assistance from outside quarters, including the United States, to start her job in Ethiopia. And judging by the imposing amount of work already done by 100,000 Italian laborers under most difficult circumstances, it may be safely assumed that Italy intends to go ahead with her colonial program.

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- 27 Look how the lilies neither spin nor weave, and yet, I tell you, even Solomon in all his grandeur was never clothed like one of them. 28 Now if God so clothes grass which blooms today in the field and is thrown tomorrow into the furnace, how much more will He clothe you? O men, 29 how little you trust Him! So do not seek food and drink 30 and be worried; pagans make food and drink their aim in life, but your Father knows 31 quite well you need that; only seek His Realm, and it will be yours over and above.

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Italians in Gala Mood on Entering Ethiopian Capital

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groves, as they entered the town, but there were no casualties.

Both native and foreign populations greeted the Italian occupation with cheers, welcoming a feeling of security after four days of the wildest kind of experiences.

Marshal Badoglio formally reopened the Italian Legation which had been closed since Count Luigi Vinti-Gigliucci, former Minister to Ethiopia, left Oct. 26, 1935, after 16 days of defiance to Ethiopian demands that he depart.

"We Made It!"

The commander-in-chief addressed his troops, extending thanks for their labors in achieving the capture of Addis Ababa.

"We made it," Marshal Badoglio said proudly.

"Is the war over?" this correspondent asked him.

"There is no enemy, therefore this must be the end," the commander-in-chief replied.

Preceded by native Eritrean Askari on foot, the great motorized column, commanded personally by Marshal Badoglio, left Dessye, former field headquarters of Emperor Haile Selassie, April 28.

Thirty thousand troops took part in the spectacular advance, moving along two pathways and finally pinching off Addis Ababa from two sides in accordance with the Marshal's favorite strategy used often in the seven-month conquest of the country—a job most military authorities thought would require at least two years.

The Italian Force

The main column with Marshal Badoglio comprised 1000 trucks, tremendous quantities of supplies and water, the entire Sabauda division and a mixed regiment of companies of Bersaglieri, "Blackshirts" of the Jan. 23 Division, Marines, Grenadiers, Frontier Guards and Engineers.

There were also four batteries of artillery, so everything in Italy's war services except a warship was represented in the line.

The column included correspondents and two field radio stations. It was accompanied by airplanes roaring constantly overhead.

The course

The cavalcade swung out of Dessye to the southeast on a truck road built for Haile Selassie by a Swiss engineer in 1932 after the Negus had modernized his army.

Along the old imperial highway to the west, 200 kilometers (125 miles) nearer Addis Ababa, went two brigades of native Eritrean troops, commanded by Gen. Alessandro Pizio-Birol and Brigade Commanders General Gallina and Brigadier General Tracchia.

The imperial highway, which they traversed afoot, was little more than a caravan trail straight over the mountains.

Marshal Badoglio considered it safer to move the trucks along the semicircle route of the Selassie Highway, though it was longer, because it ran halfway through friendly Galla territory.

The older, straighter imperial road headed through Haile Selassie's own Shuan territory.

With the Eritreans far ahead on the old road, the motor cavalcade passed through startlingly beautiful mountain country.

This force covered 125 kilometers (about 78 miles) the first day, and toiled 75 kilometers (about 47 miles) the second day, clearing away many land and rock slides started by imperial troops who retreated after the northern battle of Mai Ceu.

The cavalcade roared through blistering heat of Central Ethiopia and had to ford dozens of rivers.

After the first two swift-moving days, it was necessary to halt for 2½ days at Macfud, on the River Robi, allowing the Eritreans ahead to clear the road and occupy strategic positions close to Addis Ababa to assure success in the final stages of the advance.

The road out sharply to the west again after Macfud, swung in the direction of Debra Birhan, circled east again to Degiat and then took another half-circle east to Addis Ababa.

Soldiers in Gay Mood

The atmosphere throughout the march was joyful, the troops camping each night in tents and gathering about roaring fires for song fests.

Daily dramas were provided during the march by bombing planes swooping within 10 feet of the tents. Nightly, veterans of engagements all along the line got together to talk over their experiences.

The fare was corned beef, with what vegetables they could buy from natives.

Hundreds of natives, still not sure of their positions, were seen in the mountains, hesitant to come out of hiding.

Marshal Badoglio proclaimed that natives, even if they had fought against Italy, could submit and gain pardons if they appeared within one week.

One small engagement marked the entire movement from Dessye to Addis Ababa, Askari killing 14 Ethiopians. Occasional snipings were the only other incidents.

Weapons Found in Prison

JACKSON, Mich., May 6 (AP)—A surprise search early today, seized 500 knives, blackjacks and other weapons from the cell blocks. All of the weapons had been made from materials gathered by inmates from the prison industries, officials said. Warden Jackson ordered the search after a battle last Saturday in which five guards were beaten.

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Duce Hails 'Shining Victory'

By the Associated Press

ROME, May 6.—The complete text of Premier Benito Mussolini's address yesterday follows:

Blackshirts of the Revolution: men and women of all Italy, Italians and friends of Italy beyond the mountains and seas: Marshal Badoglio telegraphs: "Today, May 5, at 4 p. m., at the head of the victorious troops, I entered Addis Ababa."

"War Is Finished"

In 30 centuries of our history Italy has lived memorable hours, but this today certainly is one of the most solemn.

I announce to the Italian peoples and to the world the war is finished.

I announce to the Italian people and to the world peace has been re-established. It is not without emotion, without pride, that after seven months of fierce hostilities, I pronounce this great word, but it is strictly necessary for me to add it is our peace, Roman peace which is expressed in this simple, irrevocable, definite phrase—"Ethiopia is Italian."

It is Italian in fact because it is occupied by our victorious armies. It is Italian in law because of the law of Rome and civilization which triumphs over barbarities, justice which triumphs over cruel whims, redemption of miseries which triumph over slavery.

Ethiopians Want Peace

With the population of Ethiopia peace is already an accomplished fact. The populations of the Empire of the Lion of Judah have demonstrated with the clearest sign their desire to live and work tranquilly in the shade of the Italian tri-color.

The chiefs and rases are defeated and the fugitives do not count for anything and no force in the world can make them count for anything.

In the mass meeting Sept. 2 I solemnly promised I had done all possible to avoid that the African conflict should become a European war. I have maintained that undertaking, and more than ever I am convinced that to disturb the peace of Europe means the collapse of Europe.

Will Defend Victory

I must immediately add that we are ready to defend our shining victory with the same intrepid, irrevocable decision with which we achieved it.

We feel thus we interpret the will of the African combatants, of those who are dead, who have gloriously fallen in combat, whose memories will remain engraved for generation and generation in the hearts of all Italians and those other hundreds of thousands of soldiers and Blackshirts who in seven months' fighting have accomplished such prodigies as to force the world to unconditional acknowledgment.

Praise to Workmen Also

To them go profound, devoted acknowledgment of the fatherland and such acknowledgment goes also to the hundred thousand workmen who, during these months, have worked with superhuman zeal.

This of today is a great date for the Blackshirt Revolution and the Italian people, which resisted and which did not bend under the siege and Geneva hostility, deserve to live in this great hour. Blackshirts of the Revolution and men and women of all Italy: A milestone in our march has been reached, we will continue to march to peace. We will face with our courage, faith and determination the undertakings which await us tomorrow.

Viva l'Italia! May this cry arise to the combatants who are, perhaps, waiting for it in African lands.

Strict Press Law

In Bulgaria Makes Reporting Perilous

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BULGARIA, Sofia.—The Sofia Government has worked out a new press law which is going to make the work of Bulgarian editors and foreign correspondents extremely difficult and dangerous. Anyone who receives information that may be detrimental to Bulgaria or its regime is to be liable to a long term of prison.

Anyone publishing, even within the country itself, reports that might have an unfavorable effect on Bulgaria's financial situation may be put in prison for 10 years. For example, if the Bulgarian National Bank made an issue of paper money, thereby taking a step toward inflation, it would be considered treason for anyone to announce that fact. A finance minister thus becomes an absolute dictator. No citizen dares protest against any measure he may take.

The Government, fearing to restore the power of self-government to the masses, is trying more and more to throttle public opinion.

Slow but Sure

Drive - Ethiopia

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bring his people within the course of one or two decades from the middle ages to modernity he had constantly to resist rival tribal chiefs and covetous foreign powers. At the end he was compelled to lay down the shovel and take up the sword.

Hoare-Laval Plan Better?

The tragic disappearance of the free Ethiopian state leads one to believe that statesmen, the press and individuals who sympathized with Ethiopia were mistaken in resisting the "Hoare-Laval Peace Plan." All was eventually lost, where much might have been saved. In December, at least, a limited Ethiopia might have been preserved.

Moreover, the League action against Italy's aggression was morally weakened by the fact that many states belonging to the League had earlier taken large parts of the world for themselves. Italy seemed to be doing only what others had done.

Italy May Help

In spite of this disaster many hope that Italy will help the Ethiopian peoples to advance as other empires are helping their colonies, and also that the world shall gain wisdom from this triumph of force and forthwith arrange the whole question of raw materials and free lands in such a way as to deprive any further aggression of all gains.

Issue of Ski Stamps

In Austria Sold Out

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

VIENNA.—While the representatives of 20 nations were striving for the prizes offered at the great ski contest of the F. I. S. (International Federation of Skiers) at Innsbruck, Tyrol, recently, philatelists of Vienna were vying with as much ardor and determination for the new F. I. S. postage stamps issued by the Austrian postal administration.

Seventy thousand sets had been printed, yet this supply was not sufficient to supply the demands of the public. The price "on the curb" shot up more than 100 per cent at once.

In view of the great interest manifested in special sets of Austrian postage stamps, it has been decided to supplement the costume series (Trachten serie). They will bear the picture of the late Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss.

Ketchikan Leads Alaska

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KETCHIKAN, Alaska.—Ketchikan is the largest city in Alaska, on the basis of the 1930 census. By a vote of property owners in Ketchikan and Charcoal Point, the latter district has been annexed to Ketchikan. The Charcoal Point 1930 population of 372 brings the official population of Ketchikan to 4168, exactly 125 more than Juneau. It is generally conceded, however, that Juneau's growth in the past two or three years has been greater than Ketchikan's.

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Unity of Nations Vital to Peace, Lothian States

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members felt that unless they could vindicate the Covenant in this case its validity as a system of universal security would disappear.

After making every possible effort to induce Signor Mussolini to call off his attack, they declared Italy the aggressor and 50 member nations agreed to impose economic sanctions against him. But neither the threat nor imposition of sanctions sufficed to prevent aggression or to deflect it, to deprive Italy of victory or save Ethiopia from overwhelming defeat.

Unwilling to Risk War

The fundamental reason has been that members of the League have from the start shrunk from driving their opposition to Italy to the point of war. Signor Mussolini repeatedly declared oil sanctions or closing of the Suez Canal would mean war.

League members were unwilling to face the risk involved in testing whether the Italian declaration was a bluff or not because it might involve them in war. They have recoiled from war for two reasons. First, because war, even a police war, involves killing hundreds of thousands of noncombatants and letting loose on their own countries the horrors Ethiopia itself has witnessed.

And second, because with Germany and Japan outside the League any war between Italy and League powers might have spread into a general war and involved killing not of thousands but of millions.

Sanctions Must Be Total

It is now quite clear, therefore, that unless imposed by the whole of the rest of the world, economic sanctions are either ineffective or so slow in effect as to be almost useless as pressure, or lead to war or to the grave risk of war.

I do not think, therefore, that there is any doubt that Articles X and XVI of the Covenant—the articles about which the opposition in the Senate of the United States primarily centered, just because they involved obligation in the last resort to go to war—will now be deleted or fall into agreed desuetude.

When that is done, the League may recover its prestige and universal membership as an instrument for international conciliation and co-operation and as a focus for world opinion, which is what it ought to be, and only thing it can be so long as nations are unwilling to pool their sovereignty in a federation.

"League of All Nations"

It has been the coercive obligations of the Covenant which have been the weakness of the League since the start. Once they are removed a true league of all nations is no longer possible, peace and understanding and not for war will have a chance to grow.

But even so we are still left with the problem of European security and peace and the aftermath of Adolf Hitler's reoccupation of the Rhineland. Negotiations for the settlement of Europe proposed by the Reichsleiter have been in abeyance during the French elections and it is impossible to say what effect the swing to the Left disclosed by these elections is likely to have upon French policy.

France Seeks Alliances

France is anxious to maintain a military combination comprising Russia, Italy, the Powers of the Little Entente and, if possible, Britain, strong enough to prevent Germany from attempting to modify the status quo in Europe by force or the power of diplomacy.

Germany is determined not to be so imprisoned in a position of inferiority and once the Rhineland is fortified the power of France to intervene militarily in eastern Europe will be lessened.

It is by no means certain what line Italy intends taking in Europe. Russia is concerned to keep Europe at loggerheads as the best security against attack from Germany.

Uncertainty in Britain

British public opinion, disillusioned and uncertain after the Ethiopian debacle, has not yet made up her mind whether Germany is becoming so formidable that she had better remain associated with the French combination on whether she will refuse to be drawn into any policy of encirclement of Germany, and after giving to France and Belgium the Locarno guarantee against unprovoked aggression, resume that position of partial detachment from Europe which has been her traditional role as Europe returns to a regional balance of power.

The overwhelming sentiment of the great mass of the British electorate during the recent Rhineland crisis, that Germany on the whole was justified in reoccupying her own country, and that Britain was not going to be drawn into war over diplomatic and juristic niceties, may yet have influence on this fateful decision.

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Italians Find Deserted Village As Final Goal of Long Drive

By a Staff Writer of The Christian Science Monitor

The unpretentious capital of Ethiopia, just occupied by the invading Italian army, has a certain beauty and charm, except during the rainy season. Addis Ababa, high above sea level, has rarity of atmosphere, and great eucalyptus trees almost hide its houses. Since these houses are little more than huts or tents roofed with straw, the city, as seen from a distance, appears more like a village on a wooded hillside. Only a few buildings stand out among the trees, notably the cathedral, the railroad station, and the Royal Palace.

A Young City

It is a young city, only 40 years old, and was conceived in the imagination of the Emperor Menelik as he camped near by with his armies in 1895 after a campaign against the Gallas to the south. He decided to name the city Addis Ababa, meaning the "new flower."

The first streets were laid out in 1896, and some of the trees were planted even before houses were built. They grew so rapidly in the rich soil, under the heavy seasonal rains, that in five years a group of spindling shoots becomes a forest.

It is a sprawling city and has continued to expand up-hill and down-dale so that, despite a relatively small population of perhaps 100,000—although no census ever has been taken—it occupies as much territory as some large European cities. Yet the huts are crowded together, where they exist, in narrow, winding, tree-lined lanes. The lanes have no names, the huts have no numbers, neither lanes nor huts are lighted at night, there are no sidewalks, and only a few of the main thoroughfares have a sort of paving. There is no regular water supply and no sewerage system.

No Night Lighting

At night the capital is in darkness, except in the foreign quarter. The natives' houses have no lights, or at best an occasional candle, and even then, they keep their huts so tight shut that no glimmer escapes. Except in the moonlight, venturing out at night is a difficult business, and the howling hyenas, which eat the city refuse, would not add to a wayfarer's comfort.

In the daytime, however, the streets are crowded and animated. White-clad throngs move up and down in the roadways. A passageway is left down the middle, however, for automobiles, which are few, but which move fast and with great sounding of horns and raising of dust. And mules are common enough, both as beasts of burden and as means of personal transport. Persons of position in the community usually are accompanied by armed bodyguards of from one to 25 men.

Noise and Odor

The focal points of the city are two. One is the market place, a square where trading takes place, and from which several busy streets radiate, streets, occupied by food-sellers, iron-mongers, leather-workers, and other distinct trades, each making the street clamorous or odorous with its own sounds and scents. The other center is the palace, a yellow building three-walled and standing on a hillside. Only the elect may pass the palace gates, but those who accompany the elect as bodyguards and servants, plus the loiterers in the street, make a crowd outside the walls.

Ethiopia is a nominally Christian country, and the Cathedral of St. George is a prominent landmark. Before it stands a great gilt monument of the Emperor Menelik, mounted on a horse. From here the principal thoroughfare of the capital, a paved roadway, leads to the railroad station, before which stands a second gilt monument, representing a Conquering Lion of Judah, symbol of the nation.

Parliament Used as School

Of other buildings, the most imposing is the Parliament house, which has been used as a school rather than for legislative purposes. There are in the capital several hotels, motion picture theaters, a post office, a race course, a telegraph office, some stores, taxicabs, and certain other marks of the larger communities of the world, so that—on a limited scale—Addis Ababa is equipped much as European cities. Moreover, the section of the city where the foreign legations cluster offers even more architectural, natural, and cultural attractions.

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New Zealand Is Blazing Way For Radio in Parliaments

Radio Comment

Although radio-casting has become important to politics the microphone has not been permitted entrance into the parliaments and congresses of the world. True, the President's Message to Congress in the United States and gavel knocking calling that august assembly to go out over the radio, but as for debate the senators and congressmen in the United States have voted "nothing doing" to the microphone. Even the Mother of Parliaments under Big Ben in London has been adamant to the "mike."

New Zealand, however, has taken the step beyond which world legislators have refused to go. It is claimed that the radio-casting of parliamentary proceedings on the opening of the New Zealand Parliament in Wellington recently was the first of its kind. The radio commentator was given a place among members of the elected House of Representatives.

"New Zealand is blazing the trail for parliamentary broadcasts," the commentator began as he commenced to describe from his seat the formalities of the opening, 80 new members taking the oath of allegiance to the new King Edward before they could elect a Speaker to do business.

New Zealand listeners heard the parliamentary proceedings through a hookup of the New Zealand Broadcasting Board's four national stations. They also were permitted to hear the oath being administered to Michael J. Savage, the new Prime Minister, and the proceedings in connection with the uncontested election of William E. Barnard, member for Napier, as speaker.

When the Legislature was formally opened by Governor General Lord Galway the following day, there was a description of the modest pageantry accompanying this ceremony, and a microphone suspended in front of the Governor General while he read the speech from the throne. The extent of listener interest probably will govern the future of this New Zealand experiment. Prime Minister Savage has promised that electors shall hear first hand the details of important legislation, and although working details of the radio have yet to be determined, it is expected that the minister in charge of a measure, and the first Opposition speaker commenting upon it, may have their remarks radio-cast from the four national stations.

It is an experiment well worth trying, stated George W. Forbes, leader of the Opposition. "My attitude in the past was that I was doubtful whether the listeners would be sufficiently interested to follow debates. We ourselves get rather jaded with the long hours of listening to speeches, and we can hardly imagine that the outsider will maintain his interest for long. As the Government has decided that Parliament shall be broadcast, I have no objection, but it will be very interesting to see how the public responds."

Charles E. Wheeler, a special correspondent of the Monitor in New Zealand, who has had considerable experience in parliamentary jour-

nalism and in radio-casting, was selected to conduct the first two programs.

Opera on the Air
The spring season of the Metropolitan Opera will be heard, in part, around the globe through the facilities of United States short-wave stations. It will be the first spring season of Metropolitan Opera ever to be presented.

The first Saturday matinee will be re-broadcast by the NBC network by WJLK, Pittsburgh, and WJAL, Boudbrook, N. J., on May 18. The concert on the following Saturday, May 23, will be carried by W2XAD and W2XAF, Schenectady, N. Y. The two sets of short-wave stations will relay the opera alternately each Saturday afternoon thereafter.

The opera concerts, which will present some of the foremost young American singers, will continue into June. Weeks tentatively scheduled on the program include:
Gluck's "Orfeo e Euridice"; Smetana's comic opera, "The Bartered Bride"; Puccini's one-act comic opera, "Gianni Schicchi"; "Carmen"; and "Trovatore."

'Hams' to Be Praised
The Mayor of Springfield, Mass., is going to thank the hosts of "hams," or amateur radio operators in person over their own medium of the "ham" shortwave band—on Sunday, May 10, at 5 p. m. over the amateur radio-telephone station W1BPZ. The "hams" who did good work for Springfield during the floods last March on the Connecticut River will be complimented by His Honor and in addition will be given a personal invitation to attend Springfield's centenary celebration to be held this summer. W1BPZ is owned by Fred L. Pinney of Springfield.

This generous treatment of the "hams" in his city is in direct contrast to the mayor of Johnstown, Penna., who ordered a "ham" operator, said to have given false news of a dam collapse, arrested before the mayor had inquired thoroughly into the matter. It was later brought out that it is the duty of the Federal Communications Commission to chastise amateur operators. Another point of consequence was revealed in the fact that very few other than amateurs could have heard the false news if it had been radio-cast. The "hams" are heard on shortwaves, which are available mostly to all-wave sets.

The moral to the whole tale seems to be for mayors over the country to extend the olive branch to amateurs. They will never know when these radio enthusiasts may become very useful in a community emergency.

Shortwave Theater of the Air
Note: All time is eastern standard, for ease in calculation.
Sunday, May 10
Boston—3:15 p. m.—Radio-cast on Christian Science, WJLK, 25.5m, 11.7meg. Moscow—4 p. m.—Review of the week; questions and answers; news. RNE, 50m, 5meg.
London—6:50 p. m.—Bells and Empire Service from St. Paul's Cathedral, London. GSD, 25.5m, 11.7meg; GSC, 31.3m, 9.5meg; or GSA, 49.5m, 6.0meg.
London—7:30 p. m.—Transmission for Central and South America. PCI, 31.3m, 9.5meg.
London—9 p. m.—International Staff Band of the Salvation Army, GSD, 25.5m, 11.7meg; or GSC, 31.3m, 9.5meg.
Paris—8:15 p. m.—Theatrical program. TPA4, 25.5m, 11.7meg.
Berlin—8:30 p. m.—Berlin Mozart Choir of 80 Boys and Girls. DJD, 25.4m, 11.7meg.
Caracas, Venezuela—9:30 p. m.—Musical Review. YV2RC, 51.7, 5.8meg.

Monday, May 11
Hulzen, Netherlands—9:55 a. m.—Light opera music. PHI, 16.8m, 11.7meg.
Moscow—11:25 a. m.—Opera with explanations in English. RNE, 50m, 5meg.
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Bets Ruled Illegal At N. Y. Race Tracks

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
Albany, N. Y., May 6

BETTING at race tracks is illegal in New York State, Attorney General John J. Bennett Jr. decided today in answering a query from Senator John J. Dunnigan (D), of New York.

"However," said the opinion, "whereas the offense was formerly a misdemeanor and punishable as such, the Legislature under Chapter 440 of the Laws of 1926, as amended in 1934, has made a civil forfeiture the sole penalty therefor."

This means that prosecution of illegal betting is taken from the hands of prosecuting officials, sheriffs, district attorneys and police.

Senator Dunnigan has been urging pari-mutuel betting at race tracks in the State, but the Legislature thus far has declined to act.

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A Man in the News

Favorable Tariff Rates Sought for Philippines

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON—Quintin Paredes, the first envoy of the Commonwealth of the Philippines to the United States, considers it his main purpose in Washington to work for the amelioration of the economic provisions of the act of Congress which enabled his country to elect its own President.

His official title is Resident Commissioner from the Philippines. He has a seat in the lower house of Congress, with the privilege of participating in debate, but may not vote. He is entitled to official recognition as representative of the Commonwealth by all Federal Government departments.

"We need changes in the economic provisions of the McDuffie-Tydings Act," Mr. Paredes said in an interview. "The sooner we get those changes, the better for both the Philippines and the United States."

Customs Levies
The McDuffie-Tydings Act is the measure which enabled the establishment of the Commonwealth of the Philippines last year. Besides setting a definite date (July 4, 1946) for independence of the Philippines, it set fixed quotas on duty-free imports of sugar, coconut oil and cordage during the first five years of the commonwealth period. Moreover, at the beginning of the sixth year, an export tax on all Philippine products shipped to the United States will be levied. The tax would begin at 5 per cent and increase gradually to 25 per cent in the tenth year. Thereafter, Philippine products will be subject to full duties imposed from foreign countries.

"The provisions will wreck our economic structure," Mr. Paredes declared. "Unless we can find new outlets for our products, we will have grave difficulties. These economic restraints of the McDuffie-Tydings law may cause such difficulties as to breed discontent and unrest, and perhaps disorder in the islands. The United States cannot shift the responsibility she took upon herself when she assumed control of the Philippines, by just turning us loose and leaving us to our fate."

Market Question
"Free trade was forced upon us, and now the United States is about to keep us out of the American market. But the United States is pledged to help us out. President Roosevelt

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Army Opposes Enlistment Of Idle Youth in Reserves

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Responsible army leaders unofficially but definitely oppose proposals for the special short-term enrollment of the unemployed as a means of developing a trained enlisted reserve, it was learned here today. This, and companion measures were described in The Christian Science Monitor of April 29.

A bill which would have authorized enlistment of as many as 500,000 men a year has been introduced in Congress and is now pending in the House Military Affairs Committee. After careful consideration, however, responsible officials have concluded that there are other and more practical methods of achieving the objective.

Companion Bill Opposed

A companion bill permitting enlistment for from two to six months of men leaving the Civilian Conservation Corps has also been rejected, but for quite a different reason. The CCC by the nature of things provides almost ideal material for army reserves. But every hint that the army should give the CCC boys some military training has aroused vehement and deep-seated protests against peace-time "militarism." Suggestions by Harry T. Woodring, Assistant Secretary of War, in a magazine article that the CCC be turned to army purposes were resoundingly rejected by national opinion, too, after the army's eyes have been firmly averted from the obvious potentialities of the CCC.

Both bills, as well as a third which would provide a similar short enlistment for high school and college graduates, are the product of an attempt to solve both unemployment and the army's desire for a substantial trained reserve by a single device. It has some support in army circles, but

What Army Wants

What it does want in its enlisted reserve is men so thoroughly trained that they could step into the ranks on almost instant notice. And it primarily wants only enough of such men to bring the regular army units up from peace time to full war time strength. The modern army is too complicated a machine for raw recruits. Accordingly mobilization plans contemplate having available a full war strength of regular army units sufficient to handle any given situation while the citizen army is being trained behind the lines.

It is felt by the army experts that the one-year training proposed for 500,000 unemployed young men would involve almost prohibitive cost and a very difficult problem of organization. Also, it would provide a much larger number than is needed for this purpose.

Army's Preferred Plan

The preferred plan which was worked out several years ago but never approved by Congress calls for extending the period of enlistment in the regular army to include a compulsory period in the trained reserves after the full-time service. At present soldiers enlist for three years. The army would have them enrolled for five or six years of which the first three would be in full service. During the balance of the period they would be only under obligation to report their whereabouts during peace. But they would be subject to immediate call in time of war.

Such a system would provide the adequately trained reserves at a minimum of cost. So far as the army experts are concerned the other device of enrolling unemployed for one year would provide a questionable substitute and is not favored. However, the substitute might have the advantage of attracting more votes in Congress than could the original merely because it could be presented

They Learn Practical Things



under the guise of an unemployment relief bill.

CCC Training Benefits

The suggestion for the CCC enlistments is considered a thoroughly practical one for meeting the army's needs. Men who have served six months in the CCC are considered about 60 per cent trained. They have acquired the habit of working as a group and taking orders. They are in excellent physical condition. They have been taught self-reliance and personal hygiene. All of which are fundamentals in training men for the army. It is estimated that they could be made into excellent soldiers in a few weeks and would be satisfactory as a trained reserve.

Mrs. Roosevelt Lauds White House Guards

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Commenting on official figures showing that three times as many sightseers entered the White House this April as a year ago, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt yesterday paid a tribute to the helpfulness of the police guards at the mansion.

An official count, kept by Raymond Muir, chief usher, revealed that there were 112,450 sightseers at the White House during April, Washington's heaviest tourist month. Last year during the same month there were only 38,761. These figures do not include those invited to tea, dinner or luncheon, or overnight guests.

With the same size staff handling the greatly enlarged horde of visitors, Mrs. Roosevelt said she "marveled at the patience and courtesy of those who show them around." She recalled only one complaint and that was on Easter Monday when one guard said he thought he might have been "more hurried than usual."

Prohibition Party Splits on Program

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 6 (AP)—The major battle of the prohibition national convention, over the proposal to expand the party program so that the dry question would no longer be its one big issue, was expected today.

The expansionists are not opposing the traditional party stand for absolute prohibition, but they want to broaden the program to include other "national questions." Some of them want to go so far as to change the party name to eliminate the word prohibition. They have proposed "constitutional," "liberal," and "commonwealth" as new names. The fight is expected in the platform committee. Howard L. Holmes of St. Louis, a member of the national executive committee, said before the convention he would carry the expansionist fight to the convention floor if necessary.

The list of tentative planks for the platform is headed by one for the return of "absolute prohibition."

Convention Change

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 6 (AP)—Dr. Frank Dyer of Los Angeles, national convention secretary, announced yesterday that the Townsend organization, advocating old-age revolving pensions, will hold its national convention in Cleveland, July 15 to 19, instead of Kansas City as previously announced.

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Unusual School In North Carolina Secures Future

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BRASSTOWN, N. C., May 6.—"Just seed sown for future generations to reap the harvest," commented Mrs. Olive D. Campbell, in explaining the progress of the cultural, personal and unstandardized courses at the John C. Campbell Folk High School, established 10 years ago in Brasstown in the Carolina Mountains.

At the International Adult Education Conference in New York in this month, Mrs. Campbell is to tell about the unusual work at this Folk High School in America, where teachers and pupils form one happy family and the latter prepare to go forth and put into practice, the practical lessons taught concerning farming, co-operative markets and recreational courses.

Got Idea in Denmark

When questioned as to its origin, Mrs. Campbell, a Tufts College graduate and writer, replied: "After working among the mountain people of the southern states for many years in various capacities, Mr. Campbell realized that the three 'R's' as taught was not the kind of education to hold the mountaineers contented at home, and later visiting in Denmark, came to feel that the Danish Folk High School was just what the rural people in America would like."

Has 80-Year History

Enlarging on the principles of the Danish Folk High School, Mrs. Campbell said that the Folk High School movement has spread rapidly throughout Denmark until after a history of 80 years one third of the rural population of Denmark attend a Folk High School. These go back to their villages and help build a library, a good book store, a community house for folk dances and plays, a gymnasium, and a gathering place where farmers meet and work on a co-operative plan, in fact a village where one is happy in doing

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GOP and Business Join in Attacking New Revenue Bill

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Republicans on the Senate Finance Committee hurled their first fusillade into the pending \$503,000,000 tax bill yesterday at the same time that organized business, through spokesmen of retail trade associations, continued a hostile trade fire against the proposed revenue amendment.

Senator Daniel O. Hastings (R) of Delaware, a member of the committee, denounced the tax measure as "violating every principle of taxation" and as being really a new-deal "reform" measure in disguise.

"I'm not at all certain that Congress, in passing it, is not exceeding its authority," Senator Hastings said. "In addition, the bill, as it stands, illustrates that the Administration sponsoring it has again sent to Congress a patchwork measure about which it obviously knows little or nothing as to its real effect."

The bill makes it "impractical" for corporations to maintain adequate reserves, he asserted.

"The purpose of the bill," he said, "is to compel the corporation to pay out all of its profits to its stockholders. It really is not a tax bill from the corporation's point of view. It is a regulatory bill in that it sets forth a policy which the Administration thinks the corporation ought to follow and then it adds severe penalties upon failure to follow such a policy."

Earlier in the day Harold R. Young, representing the National Retail Dry Goods Association, and associations of the furniture, shoe, grocers and retail clothing groups, urged simplification of the bill.

He also seeks a limitation on the proposed "windfall" tax which proposes to recoup for the Government the refunded taxes which the Supreme Court's AAA decision forced the Treasury to give back to processors, retailers and others.

Mr. Young demanded that the bill carry an amendment giving back as a refund to retailers of the exact amount of the floor tax paid by such retailers under the floor tax in August, 1933, without limitation as to minimum amounts.

"The taxpayer," he said, "would have the satisfaction of knowing that the tax which was taken from him, illegally, according to the decision of the Supreme Court, has been returned to him in full, and instead of countless thousands of dissatisfied taxpayers there will be an equal number of grateful ones."

Representatives of the Cotton Textile Institute attacked the statement of Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, that the return of taxes to processors, under the court decision, was "the greatest legalized steal in American history." Administrative features of the "windfall" tax were unworkable, it was charged, and the textile industry would suffer serious damage by it.

The Merchants Association of New York urged the committee to seek needed revenue by broadening the income tax base rather than by "using up the seed corn" for business growth.

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Women's Activities

A Wednesday and Friday Page

After a Chat With Alice Paul on Equal Rights

And How 'Time Is Wasted' That Women Wish to Use Differently

This is the second of a series of letters from Miss Phyllis Lovell, of our London staff. These letters, which should help us all to understand the progress and problems of women of Great Britain and the Continent, are published on the first Wednesday of each month.

Special to The Christian Science Monitor London

Dear Friend:

Does it seem odd to begin a letter from Europe with talk about American women? But, if odd, it is none the less inevitable. American women have been over here—working—and their work always makes an impression. They go about it in a way that is different from the way of European women, and European women are intrigued. Sometimes they are a little ruffled. But they are always intrigued.

The other day I had a telephone call from Alice Paul, Alice Paul, who, I understand, is still the inspiration of your National Women's Party, if not its official head, had arrived "hot" from Geneva. She had plans. She also had questions to propound. And she carried me off to Kew Gardens where, in a biting northeast wind, we walked up and down for an hour, talking.

Alice Paul says that the moment has arrived when the position of women must be stabilized. Women at present are forced to battle for their political and economic status. They do it in isolated detachments, country by country, and they waste a prodigious amount of time in the process—time which, as Alice Paul says, could be so profitably employed in better ways.

Women of 18 Countries

It was on this account, she explained, that she and a band of other women from the United States, from Europe, and from various Asiatic countries had been in Geneva, because in Geneva the International Labor Organization had been in conference and, largely owing to the efforts of the women, Alice Paul told me that they had interviewed each of the 32 representatives of the 18 countries—it had been decided that the whole economic status of women should be examined for the first time, and examined especially with a view to the adoption of the Equal Rights Treaty which, as you remember, was adopted by certain of the South American republics in 1933, and which, if universally accepted now, would give

equal rights to men and women in every aspect of civilized life.

Alice Paul quoted the case of Florida where, by a recent amendment in the Primary Law, every committee of every kind was made to include an equal number of men and women; and went on to point out that, outside Florida, matters are not tending in the same way. Five international conventions discriminating against women workers have already been concluded by the International Labor Organization, she explained, and so it seems time that international action were taken which would hold up further encroachments on individual liberty.

Alice Paul is always rather unanswerable. She asked whether I could agree with everything she said, and I did agree. I had only one question to ask—but perhaps it was that question which kept us in the wind of Kew Gardens for a whole hour. I wanted to be perfectly satisfied as to whether equality, conferred by international legislation, would actually free women for wider work in "better ways"—by which I understood her to mean the establishment of peace and good will—or whether it would merely result in regimenting them along lines which they were not entirely prepared to follow. I asked about results in Florida, but the experiment is too new to be judged fairly.

After Alice Paul had departed—she is to lead the propaganda campaign in Geneva next June, when the International Labor Organization proceeds to discuss the equality question—I began to turn over letters that have come to me recently from friends who live in the various countries of Europe, in order to assure myself, although I did not believe I really needed assurance, as to how far women are, as Alice Paul says, "wasting time" on political and economic struggles.

"Symbolic" candidates

Take France, for instance—because France has, I feel, seemed shortsighted in the matter of European peace negotiations lately. In France, women are still asking for the parliamentary vote. At the moment, campaigning for the general election is in full swing and, among the 3579 candidates, one woman, the dauntless Mme. Louise Weiss, is standing in a "symbolic" candidature; not because she has the slightest right to stand, but because she considers she is justified in "wasting" time in order to hold meetings and advertise the fact that neither she nor any other French woman has a voice in settling the hazardous questions which her country must settle in the near future.

Then there is Switzerland. Only yesterday, a letter from a friend who is living up in the Swiss mountains, told me of how the women of her country dare not allow their attention to wander from the dangers which surround their economic status. She told of how, when recently the country was in a program, was being discussed in view of the general economic depression, a resolution that "the act of recruitment" should fall upon women workers while new vacancies for work should go in all cases to the men, was carried unanimously. And now, because the women were watching and because they protested, the resolution was rescinded. But the whole thing was so unnecessary, she said—such a waste of energy, and such a waste of time.

Parliamentary Gymnastics

Here in Great Britain, we are doing but little better. This month we have wasted not only the time of women but the time of the entire House of Commons in performing parliamentary gymnastics over the question of equal pay for men and women in the "common" grades of the Civil Service. The House upbraided the Government and, in the general confusion, it reversed its decision and left the question where it originally found it save for having raised on its behalf a quite genuine outburst of "equality" opinion by leading newspapers.

Greece is experiencing "time-wasting" in another direction. In Greece, the Constitution is to be revised, and the women of the country—I am told that there are organized bodies of them engaged in the process—are keeping their attention fixed on what is going on. The last Administration issued emergency decrees which restricted women's work in almost every sphere from the Civil Service at one end to private employment at the other and, although a legislative decree subsequently suspended the application of the new rulings until after a Board of Revision had been convened, still the position is considered of the most precarious nature and the women refuse to remove their attention from it even for a moment.

A Trade Given to the Men

The women of Portugal are "wasting time" by being up in arms because the trade of hat-making was taken out of their hands recently and given over to men. The women of Belgium are "wasting time" in agitating lest a provision reducing the benefit of an unemployed man by 25 per cent of his employed wife's income—which has been suspended for three months—shall be reinforced. The women of Austria have been "wasting time" in getting out statistics to prove that they really do need to earn their living if they are to continue to live. The National Council of Women of Austria have proved that, of women who work outside their homes, 95 per cent are economically bound to do so; that 77 per cent have to support people beside themselves either partially or wholly; that 145 per cent have to totally dependent husbands; that 95 per cent have to lend their husbands financial assistance. In Austria, the

wage-earning women number 33.6 per cent of the whole working population.

As I write, I have an uncomfortable feeling that this letter is growing too long. I have wanted to set down facts which go to prove that, if Alice Paul and her friends persuade the International Labor Organization to recommend the adoption of the Equal Rights Treaty, women will stand a chance of being liberated for better, for more constructive, work than the fighting of political and economic battles.

What They Do

That they are ready for such work I could prove easily enough by telling, for instance, of the splendid efforts of women in Finland and in Sweden to see that, during the coming parliamentary elections, women play their part. By telling how the women of Holland are planning their peace procession for May 18, and of how they are endeavoring to persuade the women of every other nation to march, if not in personal association with them, at least in sympathy. By telling of the "peace broadcasts" arranged by the women of Lithuania. Of the appeals made, time and time again, by the women of Great Britain, not only for a cessation of war, but for a general examination into the possibilities of so arranging the present maladjustments and injustices of the world as to bring about a stabilized peace. By telling—but here the letter would overflow entirely—of the magnificent labors of the women in Geneva who, representing the women of the world in the Peace and Disarmament Committee of the Women's International Organizations, are pressing to show, as their president, Miss Mary Dingman, says, that "there is a price to be paid for peace which may be a high price," that the nations must be made aware of the necessity of paying it, and that in this thing women are ready to take their share.

Women, undoubtedly, are ready. Alice Paul says they should be freed by international legal action for the work they are destined, by their very nature and capacity, to do. It is difficult to disagree with her—in theory, at any rate. It would be convincing, though, to know the result of the compelled equality experiment that is being tried in Florida.

Yours very sincerely,
PHYLLIS M. LOVELL

Tranquil English Loveliness

Expressed by This Rock and Water Garden That Was Once a Cattle Pond

By Kathrine Morrison

Special to The Christian Science Monitor London

IN ONE of the most picturesque villages of Kent is a large rock and water garden which looks as though it had been in existence for generations. This appearance of age is deceptive. It is due to the accommodating ways of the English climate that gives a softness and bloom to plants and turf which in lands of harsher contrasts could only be the result of long years of care and cultivation.

Anyone visiting the garden at Hendon Hall in Biddenden for the first time would find it hard to believe that comparatively a short while ago it was an open meadow with a cattle pond in the middle. The ground was covered with coarse grass and the muddy banks of the pond had no features of interest to break the monotony of its curve.

Hobby Is Gardening

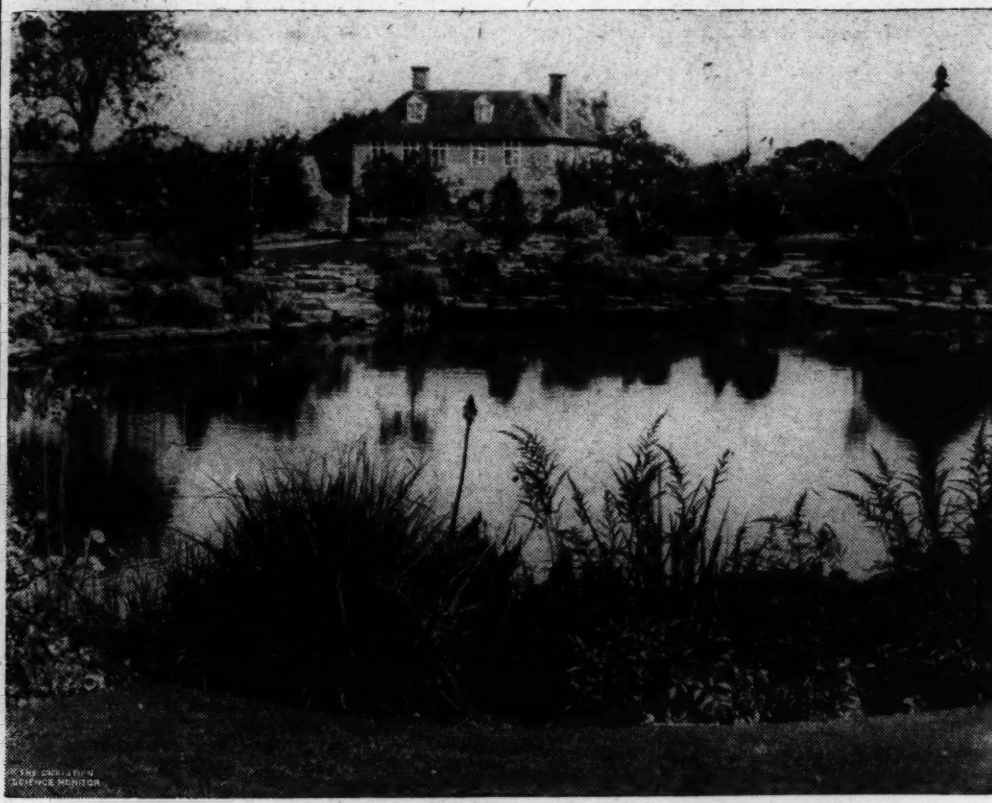
Fortunately the adjacent house and garden became the property of a man whose hobby was gardening and who possessed extensive botanical knowledge. With the help of a keen imagination, Mr. J. M. Buckhurst saw this meadow as it might be and as it has since become. He bought it and planned to make it a part of the already existing garden.

Instead of even banks devoid of any grace of outline, he visualized a broken contour, sometimes low and bordered simply by shrubs and tall grasses and again rising in rocky steps and terraces accentuated by rock plants and masses of colorful blossoms. His fancy carried him so far that he could see the drooping branches of a willow tree, as yet unplanted, screening a garden set and casting delicate reflections on the water beyond. His far-seeing eye even rested on islets of lilies and other water plants.

This vision has taken tangible shape today. Each year improvements are made. Plants with more effective outlines or blossoms replace others which have proved themselves to be insufficiently decorative. Splashes of color have been added where the somewhat monotonous grays and greens of rock plants seemed to require brightening up. So it is that the eye is attracted by the pink of geraniums and the yellows or oranges of nasturtiums and snapdragons growing profusely among the more sober and orthodox rock plants. At one point there is a clump of brilliant lilythrum, whose vivid mauve blossoms are dotted over the fields and highways in Kent.

The curve of the pond is repeated and emphasized at one point by a broad semicircular bed of plants and shrubs which is set some distance away from the water's edge. Certain plants, like the massed rhododendrons by the summer house, are old established favorites in English gardens. Others are rare and exotic. There are no less than 70 varieties in all, so that from earliest spring to late autumn, there is an unbroken sequence of blossoms and berries. The yellow buds of the Hamamelis mollis make their appearance before anything else in the garden. And the red berries of the Perennetia come just in time for Christmas.

Shape, color and scent are the things which have been taken into account in choosing shrubs and plants. The Cotoneaster horizontalis, with its shiny leaves and deep red



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The Background of This Water Garden is as Picturesque as Its Immediate Surroundings. Here We See the Rustic Summer House, Tiny Rose Garden, Nestling Against a Wall, and, Farther Away, the Seventeenth-Century House. Below—The View From the Summer House. The Stones Used for the Rock Terraces Were Once the Floor of an Old Outbuilding That Is Now Converted Into a Garage

berries, forms a thick undergrowth. Then there is the pyrus maulei, with its wealth of russet colored fruit as large as tiny apples, and hypericum, with bell-like berries and the striking autumn display of the scarlet-berberis. Among the small trees with delicate and distinctive foliage are several kinds of acer, Japanese maples with copper-colored leaves and, farthest of all, the Ginkgo biloba, whose leaf resembles the Maiden Hair fern.

Some varieties have been chosen more for the beauty of their blossoms than for their tinted foliage or their berries. Among these are the Escallonia, with its large white flower that blooms in the fall, the white heather, the welsh, whose red flowers look like miniature lanterns, and the viburnum, with its big, double white blossoms. There are clumps of Spanish broom and here and there a tamarisk tree whose feathery pink flowers lend a note of welcome color in August. Other attractive, flowering varieties are the Ceanothus, Carpentaria, Cholsya, and the Grevillea.

Summer House

At the point where the meadow once joined the original garden stands a summer house. It is shaped like a wisp of smoke and is made of dried heather. Inside a pungent fragrance is still noticeable and will probably last for many years.

This summer house is an ideal spot for afternoon tea, particularly on a hot summer day when the shade and seclusion of the thick heather walls make a happy contrast to the heat and glare outside.

The view from this garden shelter is so typical of the quiet charm of the English countryside with its mingling of natural scenery and ancient landmarks that the visitor will want to linger long. Immediately in front of him the lawn slopes gently down to the pond. To one side tall ash trees trace an exquisite pattern against the sky. Behind the thick boundary hedge rises the gabled roof of a Tudor cottage. Farther along is an old windmill whose sagging arms and battered body tell the story of long neglect and disrepair.

Across the pond opposite the summer house is a stone bench under the overhanging boughs of a young willow. Closing in the background is the old gray village church in a setting of venerable trees.

The afternoon sun circles round above the ash trees and the windmill. When it sinks lower, shadows begin to fall slant-wise across the lawn. The elongated reflection of the church tower stretches almost across the pond. Finally the glowing sphere disappears altogether behind the distant trees. Then, when the sky is suffused in the afterglow, when the whole scene is bathed in an atmosphere of subdued radiance, is the time to take leave of this garden, so truly English in its tranquillity, its unobtrusive friendliness and its pervading peace.

Kitchen Kinks

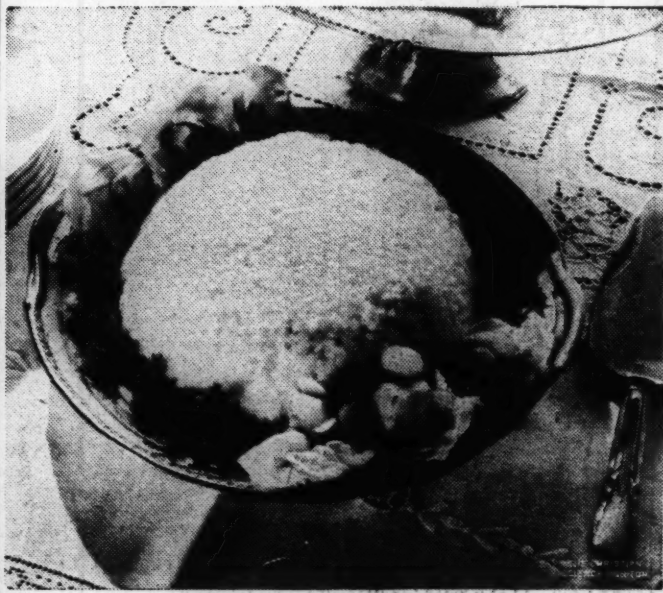
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Fruit Juices

When I need fruit juice and there is none in the pantry, I quickly transform a glass (or a part of a glass) of jelly into this juice. To do this, I pour a glass of jelly in a saucepan, add $\frac{1}{4}$ glass of water, and place over a low flame until the jelly melts, stirring constantly. I use it to flavor gelatin, puddings, etc., and, with the addition of crushed ice, or ice cubes, it makes a delectable beverage.

Leftover Vegetable Salad

I make delicious salads from any



Rice and Veal Casserole

Cut 1½ pounds veal knuckle into small pieces and cook slowly in enough water to cover. Add $\frac{1}{4}$ onion, chopped $\frac{1}{4}$ stalk celery, chopped 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon white pepper 1 carrot (sliced). Long cooking should result in a jellied mass when poured into a mold and chilled, but time may be saved by adding when the veal is done, 2 teaspoons gelatin, moistened in a little cold water. Stir until the gelatin dissolves. Mold in a quart bowl or fancy mold lined with 3 cups chilled cooked rice. Chill, turn out on a platter, when firm, surround with lettuce leaves. Garnish with parsley. Six servings.

leftover vegetables. Even cooked cabbage, or broccoli, combined with minced onions, green peppers, and, perhaps, a few slices of tomatoes (canned tomatoes may also be used) served with one's favorite salad dressing, makes a tasty, pungent salad that the entire family enjoys. Spiced meats may be substituted for tomatoes. (Mrs.) W. F. B., Illinois

Another Way

I have found I can soften brown sugar by putting it into a closed container and adding a slice of bread. The bread becomes hard and the sugar soft. I do this also with confectioner's sugar, and cookies which have become hard.

Miss I. L., Wisconsin.

Cherry Pudding

When making cherry pudding, I use the juice of cherries for the sauce instead of water. This makes a great difference in the taste of the whole pudding.

Do You Know These?

Storing Quilts and Blankets

Instead of storing quilts and blankets, I fold or roll them into pillow shapes and cover them with fancy pillow covers, harmonizing with the room furnishings. Moths are not likely to bother blankets when in daily use, and the extra pillows make an added attraction for most any room.

An Oriental Effect

If an Oriental effect is desired in refurbishing, the India-print bedspreads will be found excellent and at the same time inexpensive. One spread makes two curtains. Also, one spread covers a davenport. In most cases the curtains will be found too long and the extra material will work up nicely with a plain sateen in a pair of lounging pajamas. Care must be taken not to overdo the effect; likewise, these prints need careful washing.

Keep Their Fresh Appearance

I have found that handbags of karotol or other leather substitutes will keep their new, fresh appearance if treated to a generous "rub" of liquid wax before being put into use. Miss M. C. P., Illinois

'Learning to Live Together'

Through the Editor's Window

LEARNING to Live Together" is the subject printed in large type on a folder sent me to announce an education conference in Utrecht, Holland. I knew I would not get to the conference, but somehow I could not throw away that folder. So, when I turned to my typewriter today, wondering what you would like to see as you looked with me "through the Editor's Window" there it was, saying in its encouraging big letters "Learning to Live Together."

"We... feel that the present crisis in the affairs of mankind is largely due to something vitally important lacking in education all over the world," writes Kees Boeke of the New Education Fellowship, in announcing the conference. "In the schools children are prepared for life as individuals. On a system of marks and competition it is considered quite normal for each child to strive only for his own interest. In short the schools do not, we feel, help their pupils enough to live and work together."

Then comes the point that may have a message for us who are out of school but still students in the school of life: "Is it any wonder that men and women, thus trained, carry into later life the same spirit of competition? And would not an entirely different spirit spread if... the art of living together as in a loving family, were consciously practiced as one of the elements leading to happiness?"

When we actually do eliminate from our consciousness this highly-trained belief that competition is a necessary method of achievement, we shall have taken, I believe, seven-league strides toward learning to live together. And of course competition cannot be permanently eliminated unless supplanted by co-operation—which is another way of saying, "living together as a loving family."

"But would you have us all doormats?" is the protest. "People must face the world as it is." We all know that sometimes it takes a higher courage to be a doormat. We also know that co-operation is more important than any superficial impression given. As for facing the world as it is. One of the talks listed in that dynamic little announcement jacks the problem from this angle: "How can we triumph over obstacles which the competitive instinct puts into the way of life in a community? How is that for facing the world as it is? 'How can we triumph?'"

If we want a few challenging little exercises in going through our daily experiences without actually feeling combative or competitive, there is plenty of opportunity on the highway, in stores, and in home or office. Getting in and out of the subway or underground, for instance, while yet maintaining a co-operative attitude of mind! It is rather fun giving away co-operatively to the other fellow when he drives past in motor traffic. Have you tried it? Not passively but with active friendliness. And it doesn't matter whether he knows or not. (Our desire to have him know that we have given away is another hand-me-down of our "educational" based on receiving from some one else marks and grades for getting our lessons.)

And speaking of schools—if the process of getting rid of this competitive training proves difficult, we may find it a help to take the same intermediate step the progressive schools find effective. We can learn

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Woman Prevails

CHILDREN playing on an adjacent porch take no more notice of a woman in a deck chair, with books and a writing-case on her lap, than they would of a marble statue. Or less. So I watch and eavesdrop at my pleasure, when my work grows tedious and my neighbor's children choose the porch for play. Last Saturday, the sight of little Tib, playing house on her front porch, seemed infinitely more entertaining to me than the contents of the book in my lap, which had to do with adults and their economic problems.

I watched her as she smoothed down the patchwork cover over a sleeping doll in a perambulator. She had squared the porch-end with a long settee and all within was as neat and tidy as a New England farmhouse parlor. A small slatted table and bench stood straight against the wall. Diminutive dishes heaped the shelves of an orange crate and a faded piece of cretonne lay square with the porch-edge for a rug.

Tib jumped and turned at the sound of a shrill whistle from the street below. She knew its meaning—as did I—and shouted: "Jimmy can't play with you this morning. He's going in town with Mother to buy a new pair of shoes."

Two sweated boys who had been whistling through their fingers stopped for a moment before the house.

"That's too bad. Where is he?"

"Getting dressed," said Tib.

As the boys ran down the street, she shook out a small duster with which she scrubbed at the low window ledge. She reached barely to the top of the first pane, but high enough, apparently, to see her image in the glass, because she dropped her duster to straighten the bow tying back her yellow curls.

Her brother looked at her, as he emerged dejectedly from the front door. "Huh, pinkin! Think you're Shirley Temple?"

It seemed to me that it was Jimmy who had been pinkin. His hair, newly parted, shone with water, and his face held the pink of a brisk scrubbing. His blue suit, vest and all, looked like Sunday morning. His gibe at Tib unanswered, he muttered: "Mum's the limit. Saturday morning. Of all times to pick to buy shoes!" He walked over to the edge of the porch, musing up the cloth rug on his way and snatching a stick which rested against the porch pillar.

"That's my broom," said Tib, grabbing for it. Jimmy clung to it, and sat down to dangle his feet over the porch-side. He dug the stick shakily in the soft lawn below him.

"It doesn't look like a broom to me—more like the pool-table cue. I won't hurt it." He continued his grumbling. "Jack's father gave him an old inner tube yesterday and we were going to make elastic guns from it and shoot at a target."

Tib sat down on the bench and looked at him. Knowing Tib, I was sure that sympathy softened her eyes. Tib likes to have everybody happy.

"It's kind of fun to buy shoes, though," she said. "I like to buy shoes. I wish I hadn't bought mine last week, so I could go."

Jimmy's sulky expression dropped into one of contempt. "Sure, it's nice for you to buy shoes. Anybody'd rather buy shoes than sit around at home playing with an old doll and a stick. But it's different for me. I got good things to do. Huh, go in town on an old streetcar, get bumped around in a crowd, have a man measure your foot, walk around in tight shoes to see if they fit. Everybody looking at your feet and

asking if the shoes feel all right." Jimmy twitched his shoulders in disgust. I suspected that he was rather enjoying his misery.

"But," said Tib craftily, "the ice cream afterwards is nice. Last week I had a choice of banana split or peppermint sundae."

"Which did you take?" said Jimmy, with a spurt of interest.

"Peppermint sundae."

"I'll take a split. More on it," said Jimmy. Tib brightened and jumped up. Jimmy turned to watch her pour an imaginary stream of milk from a tiny copper jug into a small perfume bottle.

"But I'd rather shoot guns than have a dozen banana splits." He recovered his mood, and dug viciously once more into the grass edge. Tib sat down beside him. She peered into his face, looking like a troubled elf. Her frown of sympathy turned to one of thought. The wrinkles disappeared. She smiled.

"I bet Fred Astaire has to buy an awful lot of shoes, don't you?" I mentally applauded that stroke of diplomacy, because I knew that, since Jimmy had seen Fred Astaire, that clever-footed individual, he had been wearing the polish off the floor and the leather off his shoes in his endeavors to learn to tap-dance. Quite shamelessly, I pushed my hair back off my ears, so as not to miss the answer were it mumbled. It was not. His agreement held even a spark of enthusiasm.

"Sure, I bet he does." He looked thoughtfully and then a trifle suspiciously at his sister. "But I bet he doesn't break an important engagement to get them. They probably send him a trunk-load from the store whenever he needs them." He banged his feet impatiently against the porch foundation. But he discontinued his muttering and once in a while whistled listlessly a strain or two from "Top Hat."

Tib was not satisfied. I could see that she was searching in her bag of tricks. Apparently, she had discovered a fat one. Her voice held excitement: "Say, Jimmy," she shrilled, "I like those machines they have in the shoe-store, don't you?"

"What machines? I never saw any machines in a shoe-store. You mean those rocking-horses they have for the babies?"

"No, I mean those things you stand in, and—and you look in a box and down at your feet and you look right through at your bones."

Jimmy stopped poking at the ground. He stood up, alert now. "I never stood in anything like that. They must be something new. What'd you want to look at your bones for?"

"Why, to see if your shoes are long enough. Mother and the store-man look, too, and they see if your shoes are right."

Jimmy tossed away the billiard cue. "Say, I would like to see my bones. Say, that must be fun to look at your bones. They must look funny. Right through your shoes and stockings and everything! I wonder how they do that. Maybe the man would tell me." He was jumping on and off the porch in his excitement. "Say, why doesn't Mum hurry up. I'd like to get going. Hey, Mum, c'mon. I'm ready! Let's go!" he shouted.

As he waited, he noisily did a clog step before the door. Tib pulled the shade of the perambulator down to shield her doll's eyes. She smiled with contentment. Tib likes to have everybody happy.

"You win, Tib," I murmured.

I opened my dull book, written about adults and their economic problems, with the same reluctance with which in the theater I put on my hat when the curtain comes down on a play.



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Again the Flower

One thing is certain that the leaf blows bright again on the bough and after. The flower, beautiful and brief, tumbles along the spray like laughter.

Incredible with blue. The rain shall wash her drowsy face, the flame of sunset gild her, I know the years have called no lovelier thing by name until she stirred, half gossamer, half ivory foam against the air, stretching her petals till there were intolerable fagions there.

So spring shall teach the leaf to lean, this flower glow as Caesar's throne shall ever flourish in some green pavilion, stately and alone.

HAROLD VINAL

The Vision of Duse

IN OCTOBER, 1902, Duse came again to Boston. Miss Lowell had seen her on her comparatively unsuccessful first American tour of 1893, and again on her second successful tour of 1896. The third tour was triumphant.

Duse's ten Boston performances were given in the new Tremont Theater: *La Gioconda* and *La Città Morta* the week of October 20, and the next week *Francesca da Rimini*. Miss Lowell undoubtedly attended the opening performance, on October 21; the date marks the beginning of her career as poet; for that evening, when she returned to Seven Hills, she found herself compelled "with infinite agitation" to write a poem.

I have had rather a curious writing life. I used to write poems as a little girl, but I was no Hilda Conkling—they were the ordinary verse of little girls, and of no value whatever. From the time I was about fifteen or sixteen, I had a pause; I wrote nothing until I was twenty-eight, which is sufficiently strange, I think.

I had always felt that I could write, and I longed to write. I tried my hand at novels, short stories, and plays, but it did not dawn upon me that I could write poetry. Then Eleanor Duse came to America on one of her periodical trips; that was the year she was acting in the *Annunzio* plays. I went to see her, as I always went to see everything that was good in the theatre. The effect on me was something tremendous. What really happened was that it revealed me to myself, but I hardly knew that at the time. I just knew that I had got to express the sensations that Duse's acting gave me, somehow. I knew nothing whatever about the technique of poetry, I had never heard of *vers libre*, I had never analyzed blank verse—I was as ignorant as anyone could be. I sat down, and with infinite agitation wrote this poem. It has, I think, every cliché and every technical error which a poem can have, but it loosed a bolt in my brain and I found out where my true function lay.

The vision of Duse revealed to Miss Lowell that art is an expression of the deep truths of human reality, that her hitherto unguessed vocation was poetry, and that in herself she should find the material.

I began to write, not specifically about Madame Duse, but simply out of the fullness of the vision of poetry which she had given me.

—From "Amy Lowell" by S. FOSTER DAMON (Boston: Houghton Mifflin.)

C. C. R.

"With scientific certainty"

Written for The Christian Science-Monitor

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE is the provable law of God, good. Its premises and conclusions are established with unalterable exactness. To grasp the simple, fundamental truths of this Science and apply them wisely in daily experience is to institute an effective warfare against error, insecurity, and uncertainty, making sure the unfoldment of goodness and spirituality in individual thinking. Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, has said in the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 496): "Your fruits will prove what the understanding of God brings to man. Hold perpetually this thought,—that it is the spiritual idea, the Holy Ghost and Christ, which enables you to demonstrate, with scientific certainty, the rule of healing, based upon its divine Principle, Love, underlying, overlying, and encompassing all true being."

Human conjecture, supposition, and belief—all lacking the fundamentals of certainty—are so often the basis upon which men predicate their experience that there is little wonder the falsities of insecurity, despair, discouragement, and failure make serious inroads upon their well-being. Life is to great numbers an enigma, and the path of least resistance is therefore followed aimlessly and listlessly, with deferred hope constantly failing to reveal the true source of comfort, healing, and salvation. Certainly the goal is not reached while chance, experimentation, and material circumstance are allowed to govern one's thought. But behold the multitudes who have already touched the hem of the healing garment of spiritual understanding in Christian Science! How truly are they beginning intelligently to put off the uncertainty of material beliefs and to replace it with the certainty of Christianly scientific demonstration and healing!

Educated by human opinion and perversion to expect naught but material effects, mankind largely discredits the things of God. They are so often regarded as entirely outside human experience that the uninformed are perhaps loath to depend upon or trust them, even when shown their healing benefits. But through the study of Christian Science it is learned that God creates only ideas, for God is Mind, infinite divine intelligence. Therefore, without regard to one's background, whatever its character, it is better to accept the spiritual ideas which come from Mind than to continue the acceptance of a false sense of human power. "The spiritual idea, the Holy Ghost and Christ," is the light of spiritual understanding, inspiration, and consecration which comes into the heart of every faithful seeker of healing in Christian Science. Exactness, promptness, certainty—as these positive qualities which reflect Mind are increasingly utilized, the opposite negative attributes of erroneous and faulty thinking are dropped.

Spiritual education, gained through adherence to Christian Science, reveals the protect-

ing power of God's law. With what "scientific certainty" the master Christian, Jesus the Christ, met and mastered the adversities of ignorance, fear, and sin! How perfectly he accepted and promoted goodness and spirituality as the certain effects of undeviating Principle! He could protect and save those who sought him from every ill that mortality presented, because he understood the "underlying, overlying, and encompassing" power of divine Love, perfection. Did he not require and use the highest type of certainty and conviction when he said to his disciples (Luke 10:19): "Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you?" This sheltering, loving power was not a mysterious impartation of unknown origin, but was given, then as now, through the spiritual understanding of God as Life, Truth, and Love, and of man as His spiritual image or reflection. The universal applicability of this idea is typified by the Psalmist's words (Psalms 91:1): "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."

The spirit of Christ, or Truth, understood and practiced in the schoolroom, home, office, factory, or church, or applied to political, governmental, national, and international difficulties, makes possible the solving of the complex problems of human relationship. The author of Proverbs says assuredly (Proverbs 22:20, 21), "Have not I written to thee excellent things in counsels and knowledge, that I might make thee know the certainty of the words of truth; that thou mightest answer the words of truth to them that send unto thee?" The certainty of the truth about God and man clearly points the necessity of eliminating each and every claim opposing this truth. And how surely this reputation must include the falsities of personal sense, merely material affection, and dependence upon ceremony, ritual, and creed!

Mrs. Eddy, wise in her certain grasp of Truth, substantially supports the Scriptural revelation of the perfection of God and His idea. She says (Retrospection and Introspection, p. 31): "The loss of material objects of affection sunders the dominant ties of earth and points to heaven. Nothing can compete with Christian Science, and its demonstration, in showing this solemn certainty in growing freedom and vindicating 'the ways of God' to man. The absolute proof and self-evident propositions of Truth are immeasurably paramount to rubric and dogma in proving the Christ."

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into Spanish.)

Rainy Woods

The rain came into the woods
Moving gently among the shadows,
With light steps beside the trees,
Humming soft, glad music.
The trees trembled with joy.
Light flicked over their leafy faces.
The spice of their still breathing floated
Among the raindrops.

In the clean, tall, fragrant woods
The rain danced blithely among the trees.

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Be Loyal to U. S. Principles, Dr. Frank Urges Methodists

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 6—Loyalty to American principles, combined with a willingness to adapt traditional policies and mechanisms to new situations, was urged upon delegates from 48 states and 40 countries at the Methodist General Conference here last night by Glenn Frank, president of the University of Wisconsin.

Decrying the "superficial optimism that sometimes seeks to substitute cheer-leading for statesmanship," as well as bogey-mongers "who attempt to further personal or partisan ends by branding even the simplest and most obviously sensible suggestion of change as part of some sinister plot to communize the nation," Dr. Frank asserted that neither an irrational radicalism nor an irrational reaction is tolerable under such circumstances as prevail today.

Hour of Decision Near

That an hour of decision is approaching in which the American people will "either by default or by a vast exercise of will, determine the direction civilization will take," was recognized by the speaker. He said, "It should now be clear to all literate people that the temper of the crowd and the turn of affairs combine to create a situation in which beating the tom-tom for obsolete traditions of politics and economics can neither satisfy the mass mind nor bring recovery and stabilization to our enterprise."

"The old articles of political, social and economic faiths are philosophically doubted or passionately derided. Democracy is flouted. Freedom is invaded. Plenty is renounced. Natural science is hamstrung. Religion is tied to the cartwheel of the state. Nationalism runs amuck. Hitherto docile masses everywhere seem set to take affairs into their own hands or lodge them in the hands of leaders who speak their language of urgency. Plainly we are confronted by an unprecedented situation calling for an unprecedented willingness to consider unprecedented policies."

Upholds American Tradition

Advocating a middle-of-the-road policy, Dr. Frank said, "Of all of the revolutionary concepts now in the field from Fascism to Communism, none in my judgment, offers a tithe of the possibilities of enriched and stabilized life for the millions that lie latent in the American tradition of private enterprise and political liberty. But we shall escape social disruption, through which so much of mankind has lately passed, only through the exercise of a cool and constructive intelligence that refuses to let its approach be obscured either by the traditions of reaction or the tentative theorizing of radicalism."

Enumerates Policies

If flexible intelligence controls. President Frank enumerated certain adaptations of traditional policies and mechanism of life to the new circumstances of this age:

1. Revise procedures, but remain loyal to principles of democratic self-government.
2. Defend the utmost freedom consistent with the complex interdependence of modern society.
3. Use every resource to release the full productive energies to lower the cost and lift the standard of living.
4. Refuse to believe that it is

statesmanlike to throw brakes on our productive capacity to produce goods and wealth that millions of Americans so manifestly need.

5. Give less attention to artificial price fixing and more attention to authentic freeing of energies of business, industry and agriculture to create new wealth.

6. Make plain the servant instead of the sovereign of our life and enterprise.

Dr. Mott Urges Unity

Distinguished visitors and fraternal delegates from other denominations were heard in yesterday's sessions. Dr. John R. Mott of New York inveighed strongly against a divided church, linking his remarks with praise for the step taken Monday by the general conference in bringing together the three major branches of Methodism. "But we must present a united front with Christians of other names, a Christianity as wide as the world," he said. "I have in mind a larger synthesis in which we shall in this time of all times present a great solidarity. Never did our division seem to me to be so unnecessary, so unwise or so unchristian. We must enter a day in which we pool not only knowledge and experience, but in which we pool personalities and increasingly, funds, and above all, plans and administration and even names."

Referring to the present world situation for Methodism and all the churches, Dr. Mott felt that we are living in a time unprecedented in the openness of doors. "There may have been times when in certain parts of the world this was true," he said, "but my point is that there never was a time when simultaneously, in all areas, the doors were so ajar, and the solemnizing fact is that it comes at a time when right inside of the United States we are confronted with the greatest concentration of the major unsolved problems that American Christianity ever has faced."

Millions Spent

In advocating a forward movement for the world service benevolences of the denomination, Bishop Edgar Blake of Indianapolis reported that during the six depression years Methodists had paid \$340,000,000 for the maintenance of their churches, \$60,000,000 for their missionary work at home and abroad, \$69,000,000 for homes for the aged, orphans and similar institutions and \$117,000,000 through educational work.

The American Bible Society, in which Methodism co-operates with 23 other denominations, made its quadrennial presentation to the General Conference yesterday. Dr. Eric M. North, executive secretary of the society, noted the centennial of work for the blind, \$1000 having been appropriated 100 years ago resulting in the publication of the Scriptures in embossed letters. During the century 117,000 volumes have been supplied in 31 languages, systems and forms.

P. E. N. Club Elects

NEW YORK, May 6 (P)—Election of Dorothy Thompson, wife of Sinclair Lewis, as president of the American Center of the P. E. N. Club, an international association of writers and editors, was announced today. Miss Thompson, writer on national and international affairs, succeeds Robert Frost, the poet.

Church Edifice in Argentina



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Christian Science Church Dedicated

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BUENOS AIRES, Arg.—Dedication of Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Buenos Aires, was reported in an article in the Buenos Aires Standard. Excerpts from this report follow:

"In 1924 a Church Building Fund was started. Building commenced early in 1929, and on June 13 of that year the cornerstone was laid. 'The church is built in the sturdy Adams style so characteristic of many other Christian Science churches in New York and London. 'The facade had been executed in pressed brick and imitation stone. The auditorium which can seat nearly 300 people is finely finished off in plaster and paint, and is well lighted from a high dome of tinted glass and lateral windows. The wall paneling and the pews are of American oak in its natural color. The floor is solid oak parquet. 'The atmosphere of simplicity and strength that pervades the whole building reflects great credit to the architects, Messrs. Calvo, Jacobs, and Gimenez."

Hagood Case Ends On Cryptic Note; Retirement Granted

*By a Staff Correspondent of
The Christian Science Monitor*

WASHINGTON, May 6—The somewhat cryptic statement offered May 4, by Maj. Gen. Johnson Hagood in explanation of his telegraphic request for immediate retirement from the army one day after having taken over command of the Sixth Corps Area at Chicago, was accepted in War Department circles here as just one more characteristic incident in the career of an officer marked by unconventional behavior.

Granting of the request is regarded as closing the affair which caused a major political sensation two months ago. Under Administration pressure for remarks made before the House Appropriations Committee, in which he termed WPA funds "stage money," General Hagood was relieved of command of the Eighth Corps Area at San Antonio. Subsequently Gen. Malin Craig, chief of staff, stated that General Hagood's record showed continual "insubordination." The General made himself unpopular with the army high command after the war when he published a book entitled "Service of Supply," which severely criticized the manner in which this service was handled in France during the war. Toward the end of the Hoover Administration he again attracted considerable attention by insisting that the American taxpayer should have a much better army than the one it has for the amount of money spent on it. He intended to write a book showing in detail how he believes this could be accomplished.

In his statement the General said: "With great regret I hereby relinquish command of the Sixth Corps Area and of the Second Field Army. The President of the United States in a personal interview asked me not to retire at this time. But notwithstanding this unusual and most gracious action on his part I feel that an unfortunate chain of circumstances has arisen in which it would not be fair to the service or to myself for me to remain on the active list any longer."

"Nothing has happened of which I have any reason to be ashamed. I have done my full duty to the best of my limited ability. I have been with troops continuously for the past 24 years and I leave with the firm conviction that no man, woman or child who has served under my command will say I have not been a just and considerate commander."

Speedometer Turn Back By Dealer Is Held Fraud

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 5 (P)—Turning back speedometers on used automobiles to make it appear the cars to be sold had been driven fewer miles than they actually had was condemned as the "perpetration of a fraud" by the St. Louis Court of Appeals today. In an opinion by Commissioner Walter E. Bennick, the court sustained a jury in awarding Percy C. Jones, a banker, damages of \$2150 against a St. Louis automobile firm. The automobile firm's defense was that the "turn back" was a trade custom.

Big Auto Concerns Ask Supreme Court For Patent Ruling

WASHINGTON, May 6 (P)—Four of the largest automobile manufacturers asked the Supreme Court yesterday to reverse a lower court decision in a patent case which they claimed would "revolutionize the relations between manufacturers and inventors, to the detriment and vexation of both."

William F. Hoeltke of Rochester, N. Y., in 1928 devised an automatic fireproof which he claimed would prevent backfires in industrial plants using gas. He wrote the C. M. Kemp Manufacturing Company of Baltimore, which manufactured gas equipment, asking it to buy his idea.

Later Mr. Hoeltke obtained a patent and brought suit for damages against the Baltimore company, claiming it had appropriated his invention. A Maryland federal district court freed the company but the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals reversed this, and found he was entitled to damages and an accounting on profits. The circuit court said that the Kemp Company should have disclosed similar devices, which the company claimed at the trial were perfected before Mr. Hoeltke's.

The automobile corporations claimed these rules would work great hardship on all manufacturers. They said that last year one of the corporations alone had examined 784 new devices suggested by inventors, many of which the manufacturers had perfected or were developing by their own staffs. Under the ruling, "the automobile companies argued, 'the manufacturer becomes the easy prey to any unscrupulous inventor.'"

Island Girls Study Homemaking At Annual Hawaiian Meeting

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

HONOLULU—Attempting to coordinate their racial heritages with the American plan of living, 400 delegate-members of the Future Homemakers of Hawaii have concluded their fourth convention. The association has 3000 members grouped in 48 chapters, representing each major island in the territory.

Founded in Kona, Hawaii, in 1931, as the result of a long-felt need to create some organization in which girls might participate and enjoy extra-curricula activities similar to those enjoyed by the Future Farmers of America, the Homemakers have had a vigorous, healthful, productive growth.

Becomes "House Daughter"

During her first year in a vocational homemaking class, offered by the intermediate schools and high schools of the territory, a girl may join the organization with the status of "house daughter."

The next year she may become a "future homemaker." For three years after graduation she is eligible to associate membership. After the associate membership period has expired there is an alumnae organization to which she may belong.

Purposes, aims and ideals of the association are indicated in the creed: "I believe in the beauty of a wholesome family life; that life in the home is the natural career for every woman. 'I believe that work is work wherever I find it, but that work in

the home and among members of my family and with children is the most inspiring and satisfying."

"I believe it is my duty and privilege to make a comfortable home out of resources at my command; that the joy of living does not depend upon wealth, but upon health, unselfish love, intelligent care and devoted service."

"I believe that a woman in her home may lead a full, happy, useful life; that wholesome homes are essential to the prosperity and success of our great country's welfare."

During their three-day convention at McKinley High School, Honolulu, delegates were concerned with a variety of problems, social and economic, pertaining to home life.

Racial Problems

One problem faced by nearly every girl present was how to adapt her racial heritages to the standard home plan. Every race in the territory was represented, including Japanese, Chinese, Korean, Portuguese, Hawaiian, Filipino and a sprinkling of the "haole" or Caucasian.

One of the primary purposes of the convention was to lead the girls from the restrictions of their home environment, frequently conforming to customs and habits of one race or people, and place her in a position to view home life objectively; to witness contributions to home life by girls of other racial backgrounds.

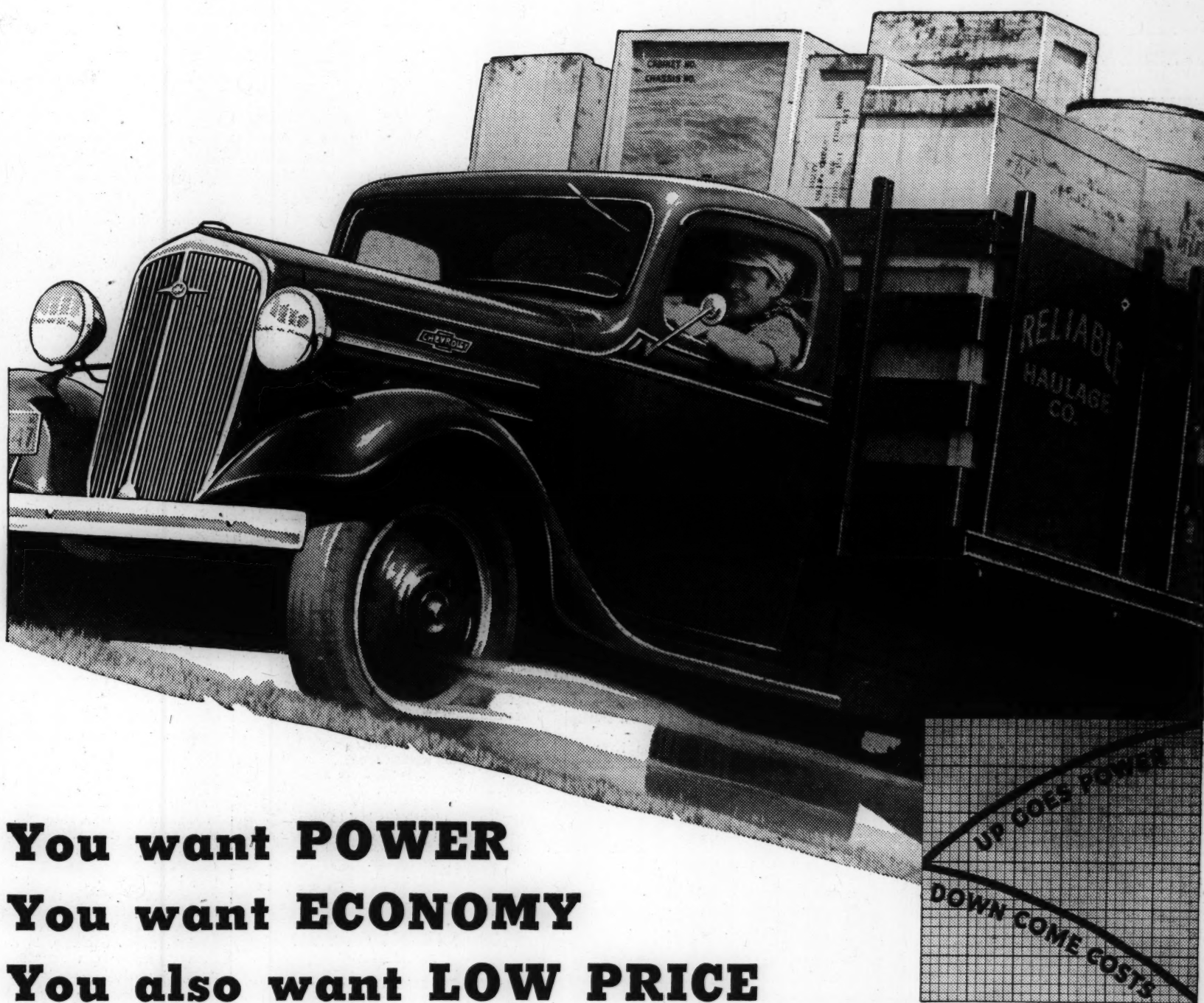
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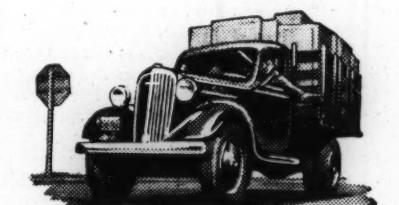
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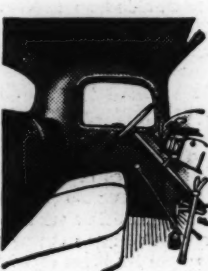
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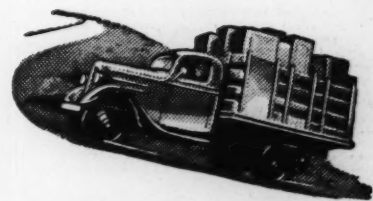
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State Purchase Of the Elevated Again Is Pressed

Probably the most persistent perennial legislation at the State House is the proposal to buy the Boston Elevated system. Since 1919, when the State was compelled to step in and take over management of the El to save Boston from experiencing transportation chaos, various groups have urged the State to go whole hog and assume ownership of the entire plant.

Yesterday the House Ways and Means Committee heard arguments on the matter again. Most significant addition to the situation was the claim of Lincoln Bryant, town counsel of Milton, that nine of 14 cities of the Metropolitan District now oppose the purchase scheme.

These towns, he said, included: Boston, Milton, Cambridge, Everett, Belmont, Newton, Arlington, Medford, Brookline.

Reduced to its essence, the reason for buying the El is given as an economy move. When the State took over management of the service, it agreed to pay common stockholders a 5 per cent dividend every year. Many now claim that sufficient money to buy in all this stock can be borrowed for interest rates lower than 5 per cent (possibly 2 per cent) and the resultant saving applied against the net deficit of the line.

This saving has been placed somewhere between \$600,000 and \$700,000 a year.

The measure has been favored in the past by the strong Republican bloc of which Representative Christian A. Herter is a leader. This group now appears to be in ascendancy, so the measure is viewed by observers as being likely to pass.

It has been opposed on the other hand by the State Federation of Labor. It holds that state purchase might adversely affect the 8000 strongly unionized El employees. It is also opposed by a legislative bloc opposed to public ownership of utilities.

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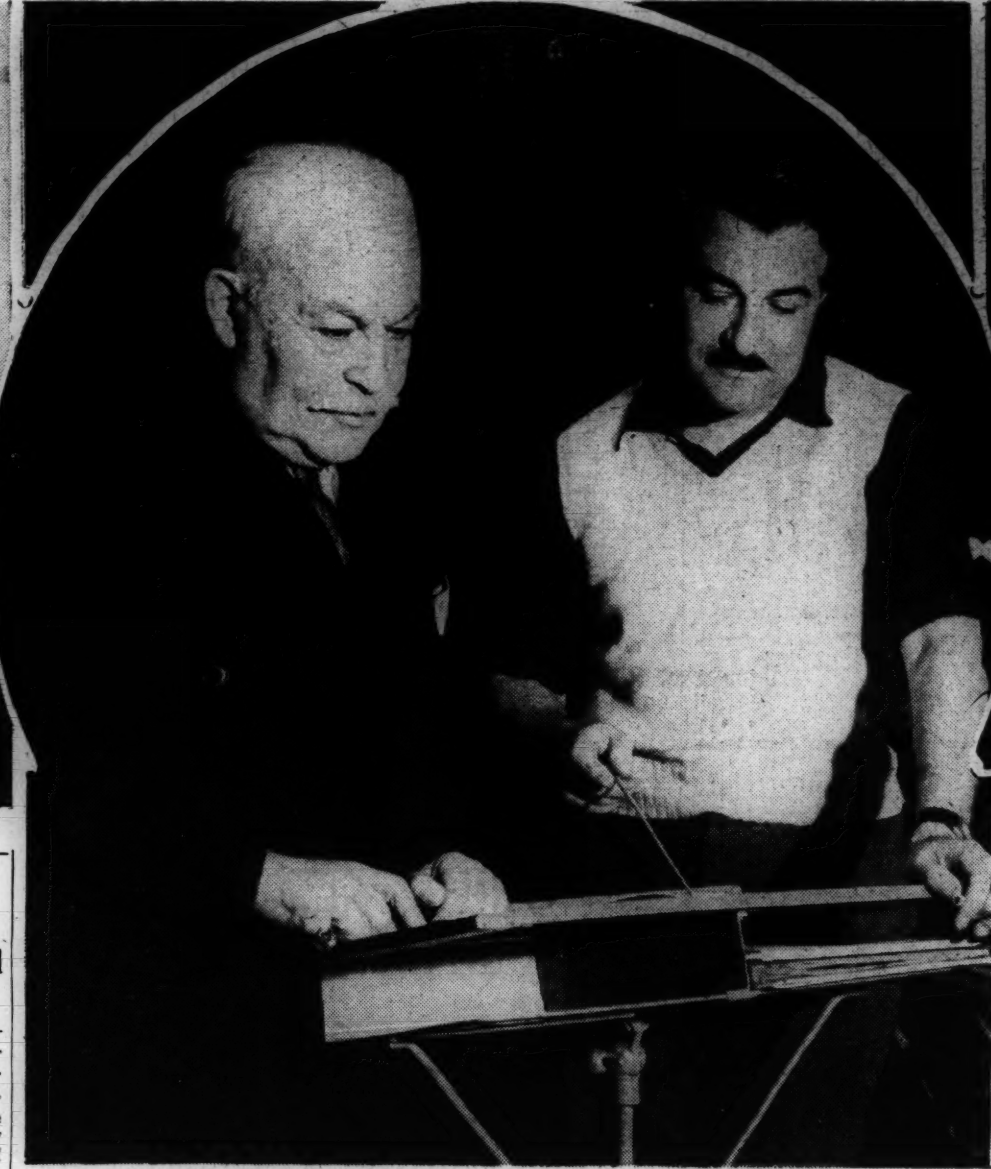
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Regional Planning Urged as First Step For Flood Control

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
NORTHAMPTON, Mass., May 6—Regional planning is the only effective step toward flood control, according to Prof. Howard A. Meyerhoff of Smith College, who has made a study of the Connecticut Valley situation from the point of view of an economic geologist.

Professor Meyerhoff says that in an upland country like New England it is essential to reduce the flood peak; and judiciously located reservoirs, so designated as to sway and spread the high water, will prove the most effective system. Each tributary and main stream must be studied to determine individual variations and peculiarities. This is the work of the geologist. He would determine the numbers and location of control structures; the engineer would build them; and the individual communities, urban and rural, would determine what local protection is necessary.

To make a regional flood control plan practicable, Mr. Meyerhoff suggests the supervision of the Federal Government, which can exercise its jurisdiction on the basis of navigation or of interstate boundaries; with the expense of the whole plan assessed on the states or communities according to the benefits received.

N. E. College Fliers Plan For Meeting In Springfield May 17

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 6—The second annual New England flying meet of the New England colleges will be held here May 17, it was announced today. Colleges to be represented include Amherst, Yale, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Trinity, Brown, Dartmouth, Norwich and Middlebury.

Amherst Flying Club will be host. It is said to be the only college flying club owning a plane outright. William D. Strohmeyer, Amherst senior, is chairman, assisted by Miss Beatrice Chesterman of Smith College and George Fox of Harvard. The National Intercollegiate Flying Club, organized only a year ago, now has 32 active chapters.

Decision on El Purchase Is Near

A decision is expected to be made by the Department of Public Utilities today on the joint petition of the Elevated Railway and the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company which asks approval of the purchase of the Chelsea division of the latter company by the former for \$1,500,000.

Four commissioners, who discussed the proposed purchase, were Chairman Henry C. Atwill, Leonard F. Hardy, Leo H. Leary and Richard D. Grant.

North Adams Plant To Employ 100 More

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
NORTH ADAMS, Mass., May 6—The Wall-Streeter Shoe Company is enlarging its plant here to employ 100 more workers and increase the output from 2400 pairs daily to 3000. Part of the new production system was installed over the week end by 30 workmen who labored continuously for 36 hours to complete the installation without interrupting the plant schedule.

Gov. Green Signs Wage Pact

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 6 (AP)—Gov. Theodore F. Green has signed a bill passed by the General Assembly ratifying, on the part of Rhode Island, compacts among 13 northeastern states setting up minimum wage standards.

Elder Fiedler Watches Son Conduct Rehearsal of Pops

A white-haired man leaned happily on the rail of the first balcony overlooking the stage of Symphony Hall, watching his first "Pops" rehearsal of the season and declared that this was a proud occasion and his best birthday present.

He was Emanuel Fiedler, father of Arthur Fiedler, conductor of the "Pops," and this was the first time he had ever seen his son conduct. He left the United States 25 years ago to go to Germany.

Watching a "Pops" rehearsal was fraught with plenty of reminiscences for the elder Fiedler. As a first violinist for the Boston Symphony Orchestra he had participated in the first "Pop" concert in 1885. In his seventy-seventh year he was now delightedly watching his son conduct, the son whom he had taught to play the violin and who has won his way to musical fame in Boston not only through his conducting of the "Pops," but also through his outdoor concerts on the Esplanade.

Points Out Old Place
"I used to sit right down there," the elder Fiedler said, indicating a seat in the second row of the first violin section.

As he turned to take in more of the sight of his son conducting his daughter, Elsa, who had just arrived from New York for her annual visit to the first "Pop" concert of the season, declared that she was down-right "ricked." She was her father enjoying himself so much. She explained that owing to the recent passing of their mother, she and her brother Arthur had decided to bring their father back to America, as he had no other kin in Germany.

The elder Fiedler, who was born near Vienna, is a musician of extensive experience. After leaving the Boston orchestra in 1911 he went to Berlin and played at various times in the Berlin Philharmonic under Arthur Nikisch and Felix Weingartner.

No Stranger to Radio
He has also been associated with the Opera Comique, was with the Kurfurstent Opera for four years, and alternating in between with teaching and radio-casting.

Asked whether he had noticed any changes in Boston since his departure 25 years ago the elder Fiedler's first reaction, musicianlike, was one of surprise at the size of the present "Pops" orchestra. "In my day," he said, "we had about 50 players. Today you have from 70 to 80." Noticing a "Pops" program flyer in the reporter's hand, he observed that the faithful old "Blue Danube Waltz" was programmed just as it had been 50 years ago at the first "Pops." "Pops" music today he found not much different than the "Pops" of yesterday except that more modern music was played. He has no objections to modern music.

Three Pupils in Orchestra

As a teacher Mr. Fiedler Sr. has more than a passing interest in the "Pops" orchestra. Three of his pupils are now playing in the orchestra and seven members of the present orchestra played with him when the first concert was played in 1885.

"You know," he said, "one of the biggest surprises to me in coming up to Symphony Hall was finding that great new building (the Christian Science Publishing Society) standing opposite the old Mother Church. I used to live at No. 15 Norway right across the street from the church. In those days there were quite a few vacant lots on Norway Street, too. When intermission was called by Arthur Fiedler he asked the musicians to remain for a few minutes and his father came down from the balcony and was briefly introduced to the orchestra.

Gets Warm Welcome
The elder Fiedler gave a short speech of thanks at getting back to America and his pleasure in his son's conductorship. The musicians applauded warmly.

Then Julius Theodorowicz, concertmaster of the "Pops," who had been a member of the Kneisel Quartet as had the elder Fiedler, although not at the same time, joined him for a period of reminiscence.

As the photographers requested the elder Fiedler to pose with a violin in his hand he confessed that his fingers had itched for the feel of a violin ever since he had landed. Mr. Theodorowicz handed him his violin for the picture and his face beamed as he tested the strings and drew the bow over them. The newsmen left the scene with the elder Fiedler surrounded by Symphony musicians, happily talking over old times.

City Hall Cleaners To Get Vacations

By the Associated Press

Worcester, Mass., May 6—A law just as much a debt of gratitude to women cleaners at the City Hall "as the private family owes to a mother or housekeeper," Mayor Cookson has decreed they should have a two weeks' vacation.

It is the first time in the history of the city that they have been granted vacations. The Mayor declared that "they have just as much ethical right to a vacation as I or any other city official has."

State Police Unit For Dam Is Sought

Anticipating an influx of several thousand men from all parts of the country on word that a big construction job has opened up, Lieut. William V. Shimkus, commanding Troop D, Massachusetts State Police, at Northampton, yesterday asked Public Safety Commissioner Paul G. Kirk to establish a temporary state sub-station in the center of Quabbin Reservoir area.

Lieutenant Shimkus presented his suggestion as a means of furnishing adequate police protection to the populations of Enfield, Greenwich, Prescott and Pelham, in the reservoir area of the Ware and Swift Rivers. He said construction plans called for the employment of several thousand men and that men seeking work are pouring into the territory from outside states unaware that the pay roll will be limited to residents of Massachusetts.

The area is 20 miles distant from the nearest state police unit, Mr. Shimkus said. Commissioner Kirk said he would discuss the project with Eugene C. Hultman, chairman of the Metropolitan Water Supply Commission.

Dredging Raises Shoal in Mystic

Shoaling caused by overflow of dredged material back into the river brought an order from Lieut. Col. John J. Kingman, district engineer of the United States War Department, today halting dredging in the Mystic River near the Alford Street Bridge, connecting Charlestown and Everett. The dredging is part of the federal project for which \$475,000 was authorized as a means of giving employment.

Discovery of the shoal as a menace to navigation, followed the grounding Monday of the steamer Marsodak, heavily loaded with sulphur for the Merrimac Chemical Company at Everett.

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Agitators Blamed For 'Outlaw' Strike By Seamen's Union

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 26 (AP)—What officials of the International Seamen's Union termed an "outlaw" strike of agitators seeking abrogation of the Atlantic seaboard contract with ship owners and substitution of the Pacific coast wage agreements resulted in picketing of part of the water front here today.

Between 30 and 40 members of the local union, dissatisfied with the \$87.50 wage provided in the union's contract which expires Dec. 31, 1937, picketed wharves under orders from Joseph Curran, New York organizer and former Pacific coast union leader. Two tankers discharged oil under surveillance of armed guards, but no violence was reported.

Percy A. Pryor, of Boston, vice-president of the International Seamen's Union for New England, repudiated the strike. He said the strikers want the \$72.50 west coast wage and overtime in spite of the union's contract with owners of oil, coal and lumber companies operating ships out of this port.

The "outlaw" strikers set up headquarters apart from the official quarters of the local union.

Credit Men To Meet

The Retail Credit Grantors' Convention of New England will be held at the Hotel Kimball, Springfield, Mass., on May 11 and 12. J. C. Fuchs is general chairman.

League in 1940 Topic of Meeting

At a time when the effectiveness of world peace efforts is once more the object of widespread skepticism, because of the Ethiopian situation, the League of Nations Association—in 1920 and in 1940—as the subject of its annual meeting, to be held on Friday, May 8, at 3 Joy Street. The subject title indicates determination to support the ideas behind the League, despite present apparent setbacks. The participants in the panel discussion include Mrs. Lewis Jerome Johnson, Mrs. W. O. B. Little, Miss Sarah Wambaugh, Leonard W. Cronkhite, Courtenay Crocker, Robert C. Dexter and Francis H. Russell.

The panel will begin at four o'clock and is to be preceded by a 45-minute business meeting at which reports of the Association's progress will be given. Both meetings are open to the public.

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Although headquarters will be maintained at the Copley-Plaza Hotel, in Boston, branch offices will soon be opened in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago. Later in the summer the chain will be spread to all the big cities of the country from Texas to the Pacific Coast. Meanwhile the work in New England, with its national cultural connections, will be carried forward. Within a month a public mass meeting, with nationally known speakers, will be held at Faneuil Hall.

American Constitutionalists' activities are directed by Harry L. Haven, chairman, and Capt. George A. Irwin, executive secretary. The bulk of the group's work rests in distribution of a small book "The Key to the Constitution of the United States," by Francis Clay Harley.

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Additional Data
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WASHINGTON, May 6 (P)—Compensation of more than \$269,250 in 1935 to W. R. Sheehan, vice-president of Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corporation, was listed today in the company's annual report to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The report also showed a salary of \$258,000 to the late Will Rogers, and \$208,000 to Warner Baxter.

The Sheehan remuneration did not include additional payments provided for in a confidential agreement entered into on July 16, 1935.

Comparisons of the company's salaries in 1935 with 1934 payments were impossible, because these data were filed confidentially with the commission in 1934.

The 1935 report said a group of 95 actors, actresses and studio officials received a total of \$5,480,905, but none was named.

George White, Broadway producer, received \$48,446 as the producer's percentage of gross film rentals, details of which were filed confidentially.

An increase in pay from \$173,750 in 1934 to \$225,416 in 1935 was reported by the McKeesport Tin Plate Company. McKeesport, Penna., for E. R. Crawford, its president.

G. V. Parkins, Tin Plate vice-president, was increased from \$124,166 to \$137,500; C. A. Kinkaid, secretary, went up from \$26,250 to \$35,333; W. T. Browncombe, plant superintendent, got \$35,333. An unnamed plant superintendent received \$34,500 in 1934.

Crawford received a bonus of \$90,000 and Parkins one of \$40,000 as part of their total payments.

Other salaries reported were: Howe Sound Company, New York and Portland, Me., William J. Quigley, president, \$75,000 and \$77,875; W. J. Walroth, vice-president, \$23,000 and \$19,841; E. Richter, treasurer, \$23,000 and \$23,341.

General Alloys Company, Boston, Mass., Henry H. Harris, president, \$12,500; A. L. Grinnell, salesman, \$7047; George C. McCormick, vice-president, \$5,431.

Bigelow-Sanford Carpet Company, Inc., Boston and New York, John A. Sweetser, president, \$60,750 and same; R. G. Knowland, and H. G.

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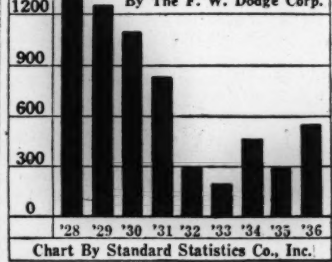
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Residential Building—Million Dollars
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By The F. W. Dodge Corp.



Prepared for The Christian Science Monitor
Residential building this spring with establish a new post depression high.

Campbell, vice-presidents, \$20,250 each and same in 1934; Frank H. Dekanet, treasurer, \$20,250 and same.

United Fruit Company, Boston, Francis R. Hart, vice-president, \$58,500 and \$58,450; William J. Jackson, general counsel, \$30,835 and \$30,900; Bradley W. Palmer, director, \$28,910 and \$28,790.

United American Bosch Corporation, Springfield, Mass., Arthur T. Murray, president, \$34,296 and \$29,307; Leon W. Rosenthal, patent counsel, \$26,454; Julius E. Wild, vice-president, \$23,656.

Los Angeles Heads List of 45 Cities In Home Building

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
LOS ANGELES, May 5.—Top position among 45 key cities in the number of new home permits issued during the first quarter of 1936 is occupied by Los Angeles, it is reported by E. M. Craig, executive secretary of the National Association of Building Trades Employers.

The report disclosed that New York was far ahead of other cities on valuation with a total of \$39,135,147. Cleveland, with 325 per cent margin over the corresponding period of 1935, had the widest gain.

St. Paul, with 100 per cent, was the housing occupancy leader; Cincinnati was second with 99.5 per cent; and Detroit third with 99 per cent.

Building valuation of 44 states during the 1936 quarter was \$594,805,991, or a gain of 80 per cent over the total for the same period last year.

Kennecott Copper Business Improving

NEW YORK, May 6 (P)—Stephen Birch, chairman of the board of Kennecott Copper Corporation, told stockholders at the annual meeting that the company is doing better than a year ago with operations at about 45 per cent of capacity.

Based on sales, he said, profits in the first four months of 1936 have run ahead of the corresponding period a year ago.

Birch, in answer to a question of a stockholder on the outlook for the company, said, "We have \$60,000,000 in cash and securities, we are paying dividends, and the likelihood is we will go right on paying them."

Questioned on the acquisition of American Electrical Works at Philadelphia, Rhode Island, Birch said it had been financed out of cash at a cost of about \$3,000,000.

A stockholder, stating that the Secretary of the Interior had recently received 20 identical bids on cables, asked Birch what the company's price policy was.

To this Birch replied, "I do not know of any such thing as identical bids."

"What I want to know," this stockholder asked, "is whether the policy of Kennecott is to restrict production to get a higher price or to make use of its natural competitive powers."

Birch answered, "There is only so much business. If you mean we should squeeze the little fellow, I can say we don't believe in that."

Bell System Shows Large April Gain in Telephones

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
NEW YORK, May 6.—The Bell System reports an increase of 77,600 telephones for April, as compared with an increase of 48,800 in April, 1935, and 48,000 two years ago.

For the first four months of the year the net gain in stations was 279,500, comparing with an increase of 161,800 in the 1935 period of one of 157,100 for the first third of 1934.

FHLB Loans Hit
New High Total
Of \$103,537,644

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
WASHINGTON, May 6.—An unbroken rise each month since April, 1935, has been registered by the private thrift and home-financing institutions of the 12 Federal Home Loan Banks and a new peak of loans of \$103,537,644 was reached on April 1, 1936, according to the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

This upturn in loans is parallel with the rising curve of residential construction.

In the past 12 months such outstanding credits, made available to home owners and home builders through the 3543 members of the bank system throughout the United States, have increased by more than 40 per cent, in spite of heavy repayments by members.

Big Gain in Loans
Each gain in the net advances by the Federal Home Loan Banks reflects a gain nearly three times as great in the volume of home loans made by the member associations, as indicated by reports from these institutions covering their lending activity in 1935 and 1936, and due to the more active use of their own resources made possible for members through the accessibility of reserve credit from the banks.

Credit made available through the Federal Home Loan Bank System, which was established in 1932, enables member institutions better to meet the demand of home owners for mortgage loans for the construction, purchase, reconditioning and refinancing of houses. This central reservoir of low-cost, long-term credit permits member institutions not only to make loans at correspondingly economical rates to their borrowers, but to assure greater liquidity to savings held by over 4,000,000 people in member associations.

Member institutions of the Federal Home Loan Bank System, chiefly savings, building and loan associations, both state and federally chartered, today represent nearly half of the total assets of all building and loan associations in the country. In 1935 these member institutions made approximately 55 per cent of the estimated total of all mortgage loans for the construction of new homes made by all classes of private lending institutions in the United States.

Loans Outstanding
Loans outstanding by Federal Home Loan Bank districts on April 1, 1936, were:

Boston \$1,150,747.68
New York 15,309,580.99
Pittsburgh 11,731,789.06
Winston-Salem 7,132,854.22
Cincinnati 18,442,039.39
Indianapolis 4,399,860.63
Chicago 17,328,979.02
Des Moines 5,687,751.19
Little Rock 7,681,647.18
Portland 2,829,517.97
Los Angeles 4,350,203.15

Total \$103,537,644.43

Bank of France Raises Discount Rate to 6 P. C.

PARIS, May 6 (P)—The Bank of France today raised its discount rate to 6 per cent from 5 per cent.

The rise in the bank rate comes in the midst of foreign exchange assaults on the franc with financial circles hearing rumors that the coming Lefist Government may devalue the franc.

Approximately \$25,000,000 worth of gold started for New York today on two ships.

The S. Normandie was reported to be taking between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 and the S. S. George loaded another "heavy" shipment.

The regents of the Bank of France raised the rate in an effort to halt this outward flow of gold, which has been heavily into the gold reserves of the bank in recent weeks.

An emergency meeting of the regents was called after the gold withdrawals were estimated to have touched 500,000 francs (\$32,900,000) daily on Monday and Tuesday.

On those days the extent of the Lefist victory in the parliamentary elections of last Sunday became apparent.

Advances on gold bars were raised to 9 per cent from 7 per cent; advances on securities were raised to 8 per cent from 6 per cent; and 30-day advances were raised to 6 per cent from 5 per cent.

The bank decided to raise its discount rate and make gold operations more expensive in an apparent attempt to curb the government to discourage speculations and to forestall more drastic measures which might lead to depreciation if not to devaluation of the franc.

Hudson Motor Net Highest in 6 Years

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
NEW YORK, May 6.—Hudson Motor Car Company and subsidiaries earned \$32,827 in the first quarter of 1936, the largest profit for that period in six years, and with the exception of the last three months of 1935, the highest of any quarter since 1930, the company announced yesterday. The profit was after all charges, including depreciation of \$356,907, but before provision for federal income taxes. In the March quarter, last year, the profit was \$235,610.

"Hudson's gain in earnings is a direct reflection of improved operating efficiency and sales increases, which have been particularly marked since the introduction of the 1936 models last fall," A. Edward Barit, president, said.

"The beginning of the second quarter has shown a continuance of sales increases. With several months of the 1936 season remaining, we have already shipped more 1936 models than our total shipments of 1935 models."

1936 Industrial Earnings Up 40 P. C.

First quarter net earnings of 277 large industrial, utility and railroad corporations so far reporting, are 40 per cent higher than a year ago, according to an analysis by the Standard Statistics Company, of New York.

A comparison of earnings for the two periods by industries follows:

Industry	1935 (Thousands of Dollars)	1936 (Thousands of Dollars)	% Change
Advertising, Printing and Publishing	2,589	2,761	+7.6
Aircraft	1,486	2,761	+86.6
Automobiles and Trucks	38,816	67,714	+74.6
Automotive Parts	17,076	18,715	+9.6
Automotive Tires	1,432	1,589	+11.0
Beverages	3,078	3,084	+0.2
Building	10,312	13,397	+30.0
Chemicals	22,207	28,764	+29.5
Coal	1,172	1,159	-1.1
Containers	2,445	2,420	-1.0
Electrical Equipment and Radio	16,124	21,277	+32.0
Food	7,574	8,645	+14.1
Leather and Shoes	1,432	1,407	-1.8
Machinery and Equipment	16,663	23,738	+42.6
Medicines and Drugs	1,326	1,807	+36.3
Metals (Nonferrous)	1,475	2,084	+41.3
Miscellaneous	23,710	28,929	+21.7
Office and Business Equipment	6,301	7,392	+17.3
Paper	7,801	9,322	+19.5
Railroad Equipment	5,271	6,719	+27.5
Retail Trade	1,113	1,215	+9.2
Shipping and Shipbuilding	2,217	2,394	+7.9
Steel and Iron	26,330	38,806	+47.4
Textiles and Apparel	3,130	3,130	0.0
Theaters and Motion Pictures	7,102	7,144	+0.6
Tobacco	4,480	535	-88.1
Total Industrials	236,140,848	334,806,455	+40.5
Railroads	19,452	11,701	-39.3
Utilities	22,36,607	38,999	+6.5
Total Corporations	277,162,105	355,506	+40.3

*Deficit.

The World's Business

Economic Sanctions—Fail to Coerce Italy—Too Gentle—Reflections on an Experiment
By H. B. E.

THE success of Italian arms against Ethiopia again invites attention to economic sanctions. For the first time in history economic sanctions were invoked by member nations of the League of Nations to restrain Italy from waging its war successfully.

From that standpoint they have failed. The reason is twofold: first, that sanctions to be effective require a blockade, or at least much more vigorous action than was attempted against Italy; secondly, that people seem unable to appreciate that, when sanctions are not as crushing as domestic police measures, a nation is stiffened instead of chastened if it is already convinced or mesmerized that its cause is righteous.

In launching his war Mussolini shrewdly calculated his chances in the light of the kind of sanctions that would be invoked. On Oct. 9, before it was known that coercive measures would be taken, he hazarded that he must be relying upon three theories:

1. That economic sanctions would stop at the sanctification of his own rights. In other words, that economic sanctions would be limited to the refusal to buy from Italy ports; i. e., by blockading Italy.

2. That the "bootlegged" trade would seep through.

3. That the war would be short; so short that economic sanctions before economic sanctions became a reality.

All three theories have proved that they were tenable working rules.

Indeed, the first theory—that there would be a minimum interference with trade—did not prove as burdensome in practice as Mussolini must have envisaged. Economic sanctions were limited to the refusal to buy foreign goods from Italy and the refusal to sell munitions and lend money to Italy.

This Il Duce has been enabled to buy more than he anticipated. He has been able to obtain even from the sanctimonists most of the materials for waging a war that was really an engineering war. The sanctimonists, in other words, refused, as Il Duce foresaw, to restrain Italy. Even Henry Ford, in respect of motor-trucks, went further than the sanctimonists by carrying out private sanctions against Italy.

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Federal Agencies
Pour Golden Tide
Into U. S. Coeffers

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor
WASHINGTON, May 6.—The golden tide of credit that poured out of Washington in the years 1929-1933 has turned the other way, and is beginning to jingle back into the coffers of the United States Treasury.

One of the greatest romances of finance is, according to a survey of latest figures, entering a new and extraordinary phase as Uncle Sam, lender, becomes Uncle Sam, collector.

When prosperity fell through the trapdoor in the fall of 1929, and the declining slope of the business cycle swept 125,000,000 gasping passengers down a mad scenic-railway drop into the trough of depression, credit dried up overnight. Banks closed their doors. There was no objection to "socialized credit" then; the Government had to put props under industry and did. Overnight almost, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, created under Herbert Hoover, became the world's greatest bank.

Big new agencies for pouring out vast additional credit multiplied. Federal credit took the place of private credit. Taken separately, the process represented chaotic and disconnected series of financial transactions incomprehensible to newspaper readers, but taken as a whole the story was one of the most picturesque ever told.

May Even Make Profit
Now the second chapter of the story is being told; the return of money to the Treasury from these agencies and simultaneously the discovery that a banker, whether he be an individual or a vast federal credit corporation, has unexpected tasks and difficulties. Some debtors of the Government will not or cannot pay up. Home and farm mortgages are being foreclosed. Big railroads may be deposited on Uncle Sam's lap. He might even become the greatest landlord. But for the time at least, the figures show the debts are being paid in excellent shape, indeed the nation stands to make a profit on some of its financial accounts.

In briefest form here is the financial picture, in round numbers, of three of America's biggest lending agencies at present.

Reconstruction Finance Corporation
Total loans \$6,022,000,000
Repayments 3,512,000,000
Operating profit (to date) 126,000,000

Home Owners' Loan Corporation
Total 15-year loans \$3,055,000,000
Total profits 1,000,000,000
Average loss \$3,000
Average collections (on time) 75 per cent
Average collections for March, 1936 \$90 per cent

Farm Credit Administration
Total loans \$3,500,000,000
Loans outstanding 3,317,000,000
Foreclosed properties 20,000,000
Foreclosures, value 100,000,000

Collections show 87 per cent of maturities of loans made by Federal Land Bank. Loans to distressed farmers, being made.

New Problems Arising
As the money that the Government loaned out tinkles back into the Treasury again, it is raising a brand new flock of problems. The RFC has returned to the Government in the present year \$180,000,000 more than it paid out. But Congress is preparing new laws for it. The rural electrification program would make it the farmers' banker; it may be called upon to finance low cost houses, and also to make "disaster loans" to flood victims.

The Government has found itself in all sorts of new business adventures. The other day it sold control of a newspaper, which had come into its possession because of a loan.

The problem of foreclosed mortgages is finding its way into Congress. Uncle Sam is the real owner of farms and homes where the debt is not paid.

Through the RFC, the government owns voting stock in 50 per cent of the banks of the country, an investment valued at \$1,000,000,000. The RFC has generally refrained from representation on the board of directors. The government has \$500,000,000 invested in the railroads, through the RFC, many of the loans being in default. It has \$300,000,000 in loans in cotton, with big price stabilization operations in other fields.

Oil Industry 1935 Taxes Totals \$1,127,259,232

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
NEW YORK, May 6.—The petroleum industry and its products paid total taxes in 1935 of \$1,127,259,232, as estimated by the American Petroleum Industries Committee.

This total comprises estimated income and profits taxes of \$80,000,000; federal, state and local gasoline taxes of \$807,262,481; and miscellaneous taxes of \$239,996,751.

Separating the total 1935 tax according to the type of operation on which the taxes were paid, \$110,265,065, or 9.8 per cent of the whole, is allotted to production; \$30,261,037, or 2.7 per cent, to transportation; \$102,686,000, or

Red Sox Start Tour Tomorrow Night—Curtis Cup Golf Competition All Even

U.S.-British Golfers Even In Cup Match

GLENEAGLES, Scot., May 6 (AP)—The third renewal of the international Curtis Cup golf competition, between American and British women players, with the invading forces defending the cup, ended in a 4½ to 4½ deadlock today.

The rival teams each won one foursome and three singles matches and one foursome ended in a draw.

With the United States leading 4½ to 3½ and the final result hanging on the outcome of the singles match between Mrs. Leona Cheney and Jessie Anderson, 1935 New Zealand champion, Miss Anderson spared John Bull his third straight defeat in the series by holding out a 15-foot putt on the 18th hole to win 1 up.

The cup series was inaugurated four years ago at Wentworth, where the Americans triumphed 5½ to 3½. In 1934, at Washington, D. C., Uncle Sam's players successfully defended it by the lopsided score of 6½ to 2½.

The biggest blow to American hopes of retaining the cup occurred this morning when the highly favored combination of Glenna Collett Vare, American champion and team captain, and her youthful partner, Patty Berg of Minneapolis, were held to a tie by Wanda Morgan, British champion, and Mrs. Marjorie Ross Garon.

In the other foursomes, with the players stroking the ball alternately, Mrs. Maureen O'Connell of Coral Gables, Fla., and Mrs. Cheney defeated Pam Barton and Mrs. J. B. Walker, 2 and 1, while Miss Anderson and Mrs. Helen Holm, 1934 British titleholder, vanquished Mrs. O'Connell and Mrs. Cheney, 3 and 2.

The American victors in the singles were Mrs. Crews, Miss Glutting and Mrs. Vare. The losers among the foreign contingent in addition to Mrs. Cheney were Mrs. Hill and Miss Berg.

Mrs. Vare defeated Miss Morgan, 3 and 2; Mrs. Crews nosed out Mrs. Walker, 1 up, and Miss Glutting triumphed over Miss Barton by the same score. Mrs. Hill bowed to Mrs. Garon, 7 and 5, and Mrs. Holm trounced Miss Berg, 4 and 3.

Williams Netmen Face Busy Three Days on Courts

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., May 6.—An undefeated Williams College tennis team will have its hands full this week end going to Harvard, Dartmouth, and Yale on consecutive days, starting tomorrow. The latter two teams will be top-heavy favorites to vanquish the Purple netmen because of past records.

Today's match, scheduled with Miami University, has been canceled, thus giving the team an additional day of practice before the strenuous week end. Undoubtedly the same lineup that has swept through Harvard, Dartmouth, and Yale will play all three contests, which are to be staged on the Sage Courts here.

Barc Kingman, a transfer from Yale where he captained the frosh team, will play in the No. 1 position against his former mates, while Weller, runnerup to Al Jarvis, junior indoor champion of the East and a freshman at Williams, and Captain Phillips will follow. The last three positions will be held by Frank Jennings, dependable veteran, Gaskell, and Dayton, former freshman leader.

Although the Purple have a slight edge tomorrow in their match with Middlebury, they will be facing extreme obstacles on the following days when Dartmouth, led by Paul Gubrod of eastern intercollegiate fame, and Yale, captained by George Stevens, visit here to repeat their victories of last season. Coach Graham will undoubtedly experiment with his doubles pairings in an attempt to find a victorious combination to keep their record unmarred.

College Tennis Results
North Carolina, Yale 2.
Westhampton, Bard 6.

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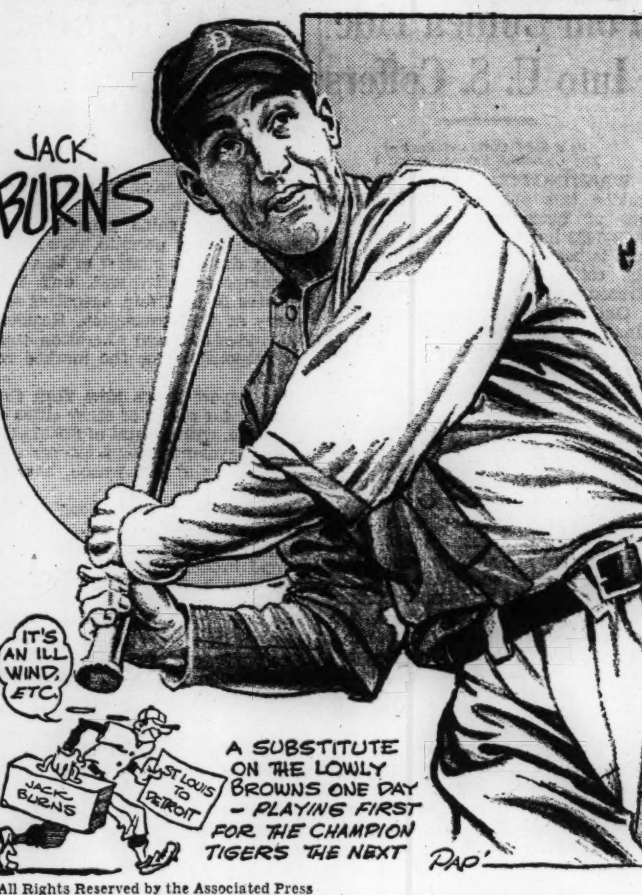
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—By Pap



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Short Shots on Sport

NEW YORK, May 6 (AP)—Baseball chatter: Big league managers say canny old Bill McKee of the Boston Bees is tops in both circuits when it comes to changing pitchers at the right moment. . . . Frank Crosetti's hitting streak is amazing the other Yanks as well as Crosetti. . . . Frank usually hits eighth in the batting order. . . . Which is not so good. . . . This year he has been pounding the ball. . . . He is the first Yankee shortstop since Leo Durocher's day to wind up the first month of the season with an average of better than .400.

Casey Stengel is willing to swap any one of his starting pitchers (Van Mungo excepted) for two outfielders, at least one of whom must be of the Joe Medwick type. . . . Try and find 'em. . . . The Yankees "bone" their bats daily with pop bottles or pieces of bone. . . . None of them seems to know just why they go through the ceremony. . . . Is Chuck Klein doing a real comeback, or is he doing a real comeback? . . . Out in St. Louis they regard Junior Frey of the Dodgers a better soccer player than a diamond athlete.

It's a good thing Connie Mack isn't given to razzing the fans. . . . His Athletics are surprising everybody. . . . The White Sox are unanimous in agreeing Al Simmons will not hurt the Tigers any, despite the jibes of some Detroit scribes. . . . Mebbe Joe McCarthy will have the last laugh yet. . . . His Yanks are coming through—just as Joe predicted they would.

Odds and ends: Everyone is wondering how the king is going to keep the Big City Grant out of the singles on the Davis Cup team. . . . Johnny Bassler, old Detroit catcher, is doing a fine comeback in the Pacific Coast League. . . . Front office interference continues to hobble Casey Stengel.

Agitation for Rules To End Long Contests

DETROIT, May 6 (AP)—Agitation for a rule change, which would end the longest National Hockey League history, may be renewed here Thursday at the spring meeting of the league's board of governors. The Red Wings of Detroit and the Maroons of Montreal, meeting at the Montreal Forum six weeks ago in the championship playoffs, were forced into 116 minutes of overtime play before Modere Bruneteau's goal gave the Detroiters a 1-0 victory.

In the criticism that followed it was insisted that 37 minutes of action on the ice in one night demanded too much from the players. Neither the Wing nor the Maroon management has indicated an intention to bring up the subject at Thursday's session, but the governing body's rules discussions are likely to include proposals to avoid the recurrence of an "all night" game.

The International Hockey League will hold its meeting in conjunction with the major league session.

American League

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	14	6	.700
New York	13	6	.684
Cleveland	12	7	.632
Detroit	9	8	.529
Washington	11	11	.500
Philadelphia	6	10	.375
St. Louis	7	11	.389
St. Louis	3	16	.158

Results May 5
New York 8, St. Louis 2.
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5 (10 innings).
Boston 2, Detroit 0.
Cleveland 6, Washington 4.

International League

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Montreal	12	4	.750
Newark	13	6	.684
Toronto	10	8	.556
Baltimore	10	8	.556
Rochester	6	7	.462
Buffalo	6	11	.353
Albany	4	12	.250
Syracuse	2	8	.200

Results May 5
Montreal 9, Syracuse 5.
Toronto 4, Baltimore 3.
Buffalo 1, Newark 0.
Rochester 7, Albany 4.

Williams Receives a Shell
Special to The Christian Science Monitor
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., May 6.—Williams College has received an eight-armed shell, the gift of Harvard University. The Purple plans to revive rowing as an intercollegiate sport this spring, and will do its rowing on Lake Pontine. It is hoped to arrange a race with Dartmouth College.

Sabine Defeats Shields
LOS ANGELES, May 6 (AP)—Wayne Sabine of Portland Ore., scored an upset victory over Francis H. Shields, former Davis Cup player, in a four-round tennis match of the southern California tennis tournament yesterday.

College Golf Results
Brown 6, R. I. State 3.
Colgate 4, Union 1.
Northwestern 11½, Louisiana State 6½.

Grove's Return To Pitching Peak One of Greatest

By Edwin Rumill

Climbing back over the comeback trail is a man-sized assignment. In major league baseball, few players have fought back to the peak of their profession once they have fallen. Some have returned and gained a fair degree of success, but the stars who have shone as brightly on their second attempt as on their first are as rare as triple plays in a World Series.

For instance, consider the case of Lefty Grove. In December of 1933 Connie Mack traded this great star to the Red Sox. Over a period of nine years with the Athletics, he had won 195 ball games and lost 79. Through that sensational stretch, Lefty depended chiefly on speed. He overpowered batters with that "high, hard one."

For the spring of 1933, you will remember, Grove reported to the Red Sox a costly but practically useless hurler. Over night his pitching arm failed to function properly. It was obvious that the effect of those nine years with the Athletics was beginning to show. In 1934 Lefty won only eight games for Boston.

When Grove arrived at Sarasota in 1935 he changed his entire pitching technique. He took plenty of time getting his arm in shape, and did not attempt fast-ball pitching until the sun was baking the diamonds. He allowed the Bays to depend on speed alone and set about developing a better curve and change of pace. Last season he set back the enemy on 20 occasions, helping the Red Sox join the first division ranks.

This season even more experienced in the art of outsmarting batters, Grove has once more become the leading moundman in the American League. Opposing players say he is a greater pitcher now than he was during his years as a Philadelphia uniform. Why? Because, although he has lost some speed, he has perfected control, a curve and slow ball to the point where batters never know what is being served up to the plate until after the sphere is on its way.

May Win 30 Games
Pitching the brand of ball he is at the moment, Grove may win 30 games for the Red Sox this year. He is backed by a tremendous punch and a good defense.

Lefty's effectiveness ceases to be a matter of player opinion. Official records show he has allowed only one earned run in 44 innings. He has hurled 20-1-3 consecutive scoreless innings, in winning five straight games. The ace of his victories were shutouts. Yesterday he blanked the Tigers, 2 to 0, and enabled the Red Sox to retain first place in the American League race.

The Yankees kept pace with the Boston club, defeating the Browns, 6 to 2. Cleveland beat Washington, 6 to 4. The Athletics went into sixth place by beating the White Sox, 8 to 5, in 10 innings.

The Cubs took over the National League lead by beating the Phillies, 5 to 4, while the Bees were scoring over the Cardinals, 1 to 0. Jim Weaver pitched Pittsburgh into third place by blanking Brooklyn, 4 to 0. The Reds defeated the Giants, 5 to 2.

Tomorrow, at 3 o'clock, the million dollar Hose play a single engagement with the St. Louis Browns and then pack their bags for a trip that takes them first to Washington and then westward.

Northeastern's consecutive games are scheduled in enemy territory. After three games in the capital city, Cronin leads his squad to the den of the Tigers for three contests. From there they travel to Cleveland, where they engage the Indians, and then to Chicago for the next stop, for three battles with the White Sox. The Red Sox finish in the West by playing two with the Browns.

Cronin is quite satisfied with the two-week home stay which is about to end. Facing the Yankees, White Sox, Indians and Tigers, the locals won seven games and lost only two, a winning average of .778. The Red Sox divided two games with the Yankees, took three in a row from Chicago, split a pair with Cleveland and captured two straight from Detroit.

Through these nine games the team punched out 110 base hits for the remarkable average of .351. The hits accounted for 68 runs. Grove was the winning pitcher in three games, while Chicago's Welch, Henry, Jack Wilson and Wes Ferrell each turned in one triumph. Two of Grove's and that one of Ferrell's were shutouts.

The home stand saw Grove extend his sensational victory streak to five games, to lead the American League pitchers. It saw Jimmy Fox take the major league home run lead and partly shake his batting slump, and Billy Werber hold first place among junior circuit base stealers along with Frank Crosetti of the Yankees. It saw Rick Perrill, that great little catcher, stay among the big six in batting. It saw the batting averages of Manush and Cramer climb.

National League

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	9	7	.563
St. Louis	9	7	.563
Pittsburgh	9	7	.563
Philadelphia	9	8	.529
Cincinnati	10	9	.526
Boston	8	9	.471
Philadelphia	6	12	.333

Results May 5
Chicago 5, Philadelphia 4.
Boston 1, St. Louis 0.
Pittsburgh 4, Brooklyn 0.
Cincinnati 5, New York 2.

British Amateurs Win
LONDON, May 6 (AP)—A team of British amateur boxers decisively defeated the United States team in a four-round tournament last night.

College Golf Results
Brown 6, R. I. State 3.
Colgate 4, Union 1.
Northwestern 11½, Louisiana State 6½.

Sporting Around The Hub

Mrs. Whittemore at Scratch

THE reward for meritorious play in golf is to make the path more difficult. The Bay State is signally honored this season in the Women's Eastern Golf Association handiicap list of having a worthy representative listed at scratch—Mrs. Bradford A. Whittemore.

The Newton girl, formerly Dorothy Hunter, and sister of the present Harvard varsity golf captain, has progressed a long way since the early days when her long-driving created wide-spread attention. In those early days she won the state junior championship twice.

Last year Mrs. Whittemore won the medal and reached the final of the women's state championship at Brae Burn, her home course, losing to Rosamond Vahey. During the winter months of last season she won the Los Angeles city championship and an invitation affair on the coast. This past winter she made a favorable impression with her play in the Southern tournament.

Her play in the spring term matches presages a summer of golf that should firmly establish her as a national figure.

Here and There
May 11 to 18 and May 25 to 29 are the dates set for the twentieth annual All-Southwest Golf Campaign, free to all men of Greater Boston 18 years and over, to be held in the Huntington Avenue branch of the Boston Y. M. C. A. . . . Further information may be had by writing to the Boston Y. M. C. A., 518 Huntington Avenue, or by telephoning Kemmer 7800. . . . The Tufts lacrosse team will meet Brown in Medford tomorrow at 4. . . . After a week's rest the Jumbo team is in good shape for the test. . . . Last Wednesday the Tufts varsity took the Boston Lacrosse Club over the bumps to the tune of 10 to 5.

The Tufts varsity golf team will also take action tomorrow, meeting Boston College at Chestnut Hill. . . . B. C. has played 11 matches this season against the Jumbos one. . . . Brae Burn's golf team won from Oakley, 12½ to 2½, at Oakley yesterday. . . . The Harvard varsity team will play the Harvard Four-Ball League championship race. . . . Wollaston holds a slim lead in second place, leading The Country Club by a half point. . . . The Wollaston linksmen defeated Charles River on their home course, 10 to 5, and The Country Clubbers beat Weston, 10½ to 4½, at Clyde Park. . . . Wollaston won from Woodland at home, 9 to 6, and Wellesley took the measure of Commonwealth, 10½ to 4½, at Wellesley.

Bay State Women Golfers Are Busy
Women golfers, playing in the W. G. A. M. spring term series, will have a busy two days, tomorrow and Friday. . . . They play a regular schedule of matches tomorrow and then gather on various courses Friday to play matches postponed from last Monday. . . . Incident Sandercock, Eastern varsity pitcher, came through yesterday. . . . Defeated by Tufts a year ago, Sandercock turned the tables on the Jumbos yesterday and pitched the B. U. nine to a 9-1 victory at Nickerson Field in the feature contest of the annual B. U. Field Day. . . . Boston University's plan to construct a gym, including a basketball court, on the fifth floor of the old B. A. A. Building has been blocked by the City Building Department. . . . It now appears that the present gym in the rear of the Boston Arena will be retained and that no athletic facilities will be included in the old B. A. A. clubhouse. . . . University Club golfers open a series of 13 golf outings today, playing at the Charles River Country Club. . . . The schedule closes Oct. 7. . . . Harvard's varsity golfers meet Nassau College Center at Belmont Spring this afternoon.

Belmont Spring Country Club is busy these days. . . . A flock of new members have joined the club since it changed hands. . . . Harvard and Yale golfers meet there Saturday for their annual dual match.

Baseball's Big Six
By the Associated Press
Player G A B R H P O
Terry, Giants.....12 27 4 15 556
Sullivan, Indians.....9 22 3 15 517
Chapman, Yankees.....17 37 5 16 432
R. Ferrell, R. S.....20 67 18 28 418
Herman, Cubs.....17 73 17 30 411
Jordan, Bees.....18 73 13 28 384

American Association

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
St. Paul	13	4	.769
Kansas City	11	4	.733
Minneapolis	10	6	.625
Milwaukee	10	7	.588
Louisville	8	12	.400
Indianapolis	5	9	.357
Sacramento	4	14	.286
Columbus	4	14	.222

Results May 5
St. Paul 3, Indianapolis 1.
Louisville 8, Kansas City 1.
Milwaukee 4, St. Paul 0.
Minneapolis 12, Columbus 6.

Six College Crews to Race
PHILADELPHIA, May 6 (AP)—A six-crew college regatta is being planned by Coach Rusty Callow of the University of Pennsylvania for May 23 on the Schuylkill River for the Harry Vail Trophy. Manhattan, Marietta, Dartmouth, Rollins of Florida, Wisconsin and Rutgers will be invited to contend for the trophy, won at Marietta last year by Rutgers. Penn may enter a second varsity eight.

League 20 Years Old
CHARLOTTE, N. C. (AP)—One of the nation's oldest sandlot baseball leagues—the Twilight's—this year celebrated its twentieth anniversary. Its organizer, A. L. Vaul, still heads the league.

BASEBALL
Fareway Park Tomorrow 3 P. M.
RED SOX vs. ST. LOUIS
Seats at Kennedy's Men's Store Hub. 2590

Edith Quier And Mrs. Vare Given Plus One Rating

Glenna Collett Vare of the Philadelphia Country Club and Edith Quier of the Huntington Valley (Penn.) Country Club, with plus one ratings, lead the list of over 500 women golfers handicapped by the Women's Eastern Golf Association, it was announced today.

Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd of The Merion Cricket Club of Haverford, Penna., and Mrs. Bradford A. Whittemore of the Brae Burn Country Club, West Newton, Mass., are both rated at scratch.

The list of those with handicaps of 4 and under follow:
Plus One—Edith Quier, Huntington Valley; Glenna Collett Vare, Philadelphia Country Club; Mrs. W. G. Hamilton, Haverford; Mrs. Dorothy C. Hurd, Merion; Mrs. Bradford A. Whittemore, Brae Burn; One Stroke—Mrs. Sylvia Anshenber, Fresh Meadow; Jean Bauer, Metacomb; Mrs. Henry Detrich, Lawrence Farms; Betty Hurd, Merion; Mrs. J. J. Mitchell, Merion.

Two Strokes—Mrs. M. Adel, Queens Valley; Mrs. Frederick Davis, Massachusetts; Helen DeWitt, Congressional; Mrs. H. Donner, Baltimore; Mrs. N. B. Goldberger, Hollywood; Mrs. Wright D. Goss, Baltimore; Mrs. W. G. Hamilton, Haverford; Mrs. F. J. Holleran, Greenwald; Mrs. Thomas Mackall, Woodbury; Rosalie Knapp, Women's National; Mrs. H. A. Martelle, Hartford; Mrs. Henri Prunaret Jr., Charles River; Rosamond Vahey, Haverford.

Three Strokes—Mrs. G. L. Austin, Hartford; Margaret Curtis, Essex County; Mrs. W. M. Austin, Dedham; Ruth Schneider, Brae Burn; Mrs. W. W. Charles River; Mrs. L. C. Dubois, Wee Burn; Mrs. A. A. Garwick, Philadelphia; Mrs. J. H. Heston, Nassau; Mrs. J. W. Hoopes, Wilmington; Mrs. Roland McKenna, Congressional; Mrs. Harry Peterson, Winchester.

Assistant Coaches At Harvard Named
Henry Lamar, head coach of the junior varsity football team in 1935, has been named head coach of the freshman football team to succeed Neil Stanley who will be right-hand man to Dick Harlow of the varsity staff next fall. The freshman line coach will be Joseph M. Hill, who was freshman line coach a year ago. The names of the freshman and end coach and backfield coach will be announced at a later date.

The head coach of the junior varsity football team will be Arthur S. Lane, former Princeton captain who a year ago was the junior varsity line coach. James W. Dunn will be the junior varsity backfield coach. One of the assistant coaches, the Harvard Four-Ball League championship race of Southern Methodist University who will study at the Harvard Business School next fall and will be the junior varsity line coach. The junior varsity end coach will be announced at a later date.

Three games have been approved for the junior varsity football team. These are on Oct. 16 with Providence College junior varsity at Cambridge; on Oct. 23 with the Dartmouth junior varsity team at Cambridge; and on Nov. 20 with the Yale junior varsity team at New Haven.

Yale to Defend Polo Championship in June
NEW YORK, May 6 (AP)—With prospects for an entry of eight teams, including representatives from Yale and Harvard, the 1936 intercollegiate polo championship will be played on the Morris Memorial Field at Governor's Island next month. The dates tentatively have been fixed from June 13 to 20, inclusive.

The Yale trio, which won the championship at Morris Field last year and with its permanent possession of the Governor's Morris Memorial Trophy, will defend the title.

Other entries are expected from the "big three" rivals, Princeton and Harvard, in addition to Cornell, Pennsylvania Military College, West Point, the University of Oklahoma and the University of Missouri.

The intercollegiate always is the first of the season's outdoor championships and has sent up from the ranks of college players such stars as Winston Guest, Stewart Iglehart, Elbridge (Ebb) Gerry, J. C. Rathbone, James P. Mills, Michael Phillips, Arthur Borden and other first rate players of the present day senior ranks.

Yesterday's Stars
By the Associated Press
Gene Schott, Reds—Held Giants to five hits and drove in two of team's five runs.
Bud Hufey and Paul Wauer, Pirates—Drove in the runs that defeated Dodgers, former hitting homer with one on and latter scoring two with double.
Bill Lee, Cubs—Chalked up third victory by holding Phillies to five hits.
Danny MacFayden, Bees—Limited Cards to three hits to nose out Paul Dean in pitching duel.
Les Gehrig, Yankees—Led attack on Browns' hurlers with two doubles and a pair of singles.
Bob Grove, Red Sox—Shut out Tigers with five hits for fifth victory of season.
Wally Meeses, Athletics—His home run with two on in tenth beat White Sox.
Billy Sullivan, Indians—Connected with triple, double and single against Senators.

Pacific Coast League

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Oakland	26	19	.578
Seattle	21	18	.539
San Francisco	19	18	.514
Portland	17	17	.500
San Francisco	18	18	.500
Sacramento	19	20	.485
San Diego	18	22	.450
Los Angeles	12	25	.324

Results May 5
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 3.
Sacramento 4, Oakland 4.
Missions 5, San Diego 0.
Seattle 2, Portland 6.

By-Plays By George M. R. Holmes Sports Editor

Tilney Causes Cup Discussion

THE playing of a young Princeton University student in England this spring has caused quite a bit of discussion regarding the presence of "Old Faces" on the United States Davis Cup team instead of new ones, especially since the Americans have failed to accomplish their purpose of regaining the Cup which was lost to France back in 1927 and which is now in the hands of the British. Tilney, who is now touring Europe, has never, so far as I can recall, been considered for a place on the American Davis Cup team. In fact his playing in England has apparently drawn more attention than any playing which he ever showed in the United States. He has studied tennis under Hans Nusslein, who is a fine tutor for the court game, and some day he may become a member of a United States Davis Cup team; but he has not yet shown cup qualifications.

Absence of New Faces
Every year the question has come up as to whether or not the United States Lawn Tennis Association should scrap its veteran players and name a team of young players who show promise of developing into championship class. Those advocating this theory have argued that, while they can not be expected to win back the cup their first or second year, they will gain experience and at a future time bring the trophy back to its home port, whereas the veterans not only fail to bring it back, but keep becoming less likely to win with each passing year. There is, no doubt, considerable justice in each of these views and those arguing for the "new faces" can point to the fact that the results of previous Davis Cup matches prove their contention.

U. S. L. T. A. Has Done Its Best
Despite the fact that the cup has not been won back by the Americans, I believe that the United States Lawn Tennis Association authorities have done their very best each year since the cup was lost. It is true that they may have been conservative in picking their players and given preference to tried players; but only the "second guesser" will be very critical of their selections. They have named young players together with veterans. They have tried a large number of candidates each year, and have gone into the challenge round more than once with bright prospects only to see them crushed by better players than their own. Even when H. Ellisworth Vines Jr., Lester R. Stiefen and J. Donald Budge were being tried, they were no more successful than the veteran players who were on the teams. And, what is still more, I do not question but what the cup would now be in the United States had Vines and Stiefen continued as amateurs instead of joining the professional ranks and thus forcing the United States to seek more young players to take their places.

Must Keep Candidates Amateurs
There is no question but what the biggest handicap facing the U. S. L. T. A. has been that of keeping its players amateurs. Just when it looked as if the association were bringing along some very promising Davis Cup players, these players would decide to take up the money end of the game, and then the authorities would have to start all over again. This is well illustrated in the cases of Vines and Stiefen. Now the association has three promising youngsters in Donald Budge, Gene Mako and Bryan Grant. In addition, they have W. L. Allison Jr., who is champion of the United States, and John W. Van Ryn, a veteran doubles player. It is certainly hard to pass up the country's champion; but I believe that Captain Fate will select the players who show up the best in the coming practice sessions at Germantown, which is the proper way to select the American team, even though the "second guessers" may have another chance to say, "I told you so."

Minor Leagues Change Dates for Convention
DURHAM, N. C., May 6 (AP)—President W. G. Bramham announced yesterday that the annual convention of baseball's minor leagues would be held at Montreal, Dec. 2, 3, and 4, instead of in November, as originally scheduled. Bramham said, a mail vote of the national association members favored the change.

The convention usually opens the third Wednesday in November, but the change for this year was made because of the distance between the Pacific coast and Southwest territory and Montreal, Bramham explained. "Many of our Pacific Coast League members and those in the Southwest have business to transact at the major league meetings, as well as the minor league session," he said. "The majority meet the second week in December, and by scheduling our convention just ahead of that, our club owners will be able to attend both gatherings without making two long trips."

Pern Votes Olympic Fund
LIMA, Peru, May 6 (AP)—The Constituent Assembly yesterday passed the Andino bill, authorizing an appropriation of 20,000 soles (approximately \$5000) to send Peruvian athletes to the Olympic Games in Berlin this summer.

Where to Dine
BOSTON
The Gateway
232 Massachusetts Avenue
Special Evening Meals
Excellent Home-Cooked Food
Breakfast 7:30 to 10:00
Luncheon 11 to 2 P. M.
Dinner 5:30 to 7 P. M.
Operating: Doughnuts and Sandwich Shops
CAMBRIDGE: 15 Main Street
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Council Head Calls for Freer World Commerce

Industrialist Decries Arguments of Nationalistic School Which Advocates Self-Containment—Hails U. S.-Canadian Agreement

By James A. Farrell

Chairman, National Foreign Trade Council

There exists in our midst a small but vocal school of thought which bases its case against foreign trade on grounds that conflict in every essential detail with those held by every country in the world. Avoiding any definite admission of support for the theory of self-containment, some writers lead irresistibly to the conclusion that their only alternative to our present foreign commercial policy is that of extreme nationalism.

Starting from the premise that we have not gained wealth by exporting goods and making loans, and with arguments founded on faulty analysis of our foreign commerce and conclusions drawn from incorrect presentation of the facts, the leaders of this nationalistic movement are not at all abashed by a situation which finds them in conflict with a vast preponderance of world thought representing the leading experts of every nation. Like the mother who found her soldier son to be the only one keeping step out of an entire regiment that passed by, these advocates of virtual self-containment fail to appreciate the absurdity of their claim to be the sole possessors of the key to the world's economic ills and to the remedies necessary for its recovery.

Misled by Emergency Measures

Mistaking temporary emergency recovery measures of a nationalistic trend for the settled and permanent policy of countries that are forced by domestic exigencies to resort to protective methods, self-sufficiency in America hails the emergence of quotas, exchange manipulation and other obstructive imports as the dawn of an economic revolution and the end of international trade as the world hitherto has known it.

The combined wisdom and knowledge of leading economists and of the business world in general, voting in international opinion polls, reach conclusions of complete variance with those who advocate extreme economic nationalism, have no weight with those who see nothing but loss and ruin for the United States in its present foreign commercial policy.

Invoking the rules of evidence, we find in the pamphlets issued by this movement much to destroy confidence in the competence of the writers to take issue with the mature thought of the commercial world, based on ascertainable facts. They oppose any increase in imports and regard acceptance of gold in payment as disadvantageous to the economy of the United States.

Cuban Agreement

Criticism of the trade agreements made by the United States under the terms of the Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act constitute the chief grounds upon which the Government is indicated by these writers. In the case of the Cuban agreement the simple arithmetic on which they pride themselves is ignored in favor of mathematical legerdemain. By implication they create the impression that American interests have suffered as a result of this Cuban agreement, while, on the other hand, the consensus of opinion in the United States is that agriculture has been favored at the expense of the manufacturers. What sugar policy the United States Government favors is not clear. Would they increase the tariff to eliminate imports of sugar, stop customs revenue, raise the domestic price and thus force an uneconomic expansion of domestic production? Seeing that they regard imports as the root of all economic ills, it is obvious they could not advocate the elimination of duties entirely and render the United States dependent upon a foreign supply.

Brazilian Manganese

Less convincing is the analysis of the trade agreement with Brazil. According to their statistics, Brazil has exported little or no manganese to the United States for several years. This statement exposes the superficiality of the writer's analysis and of his tendency to distort facts. Had he referred to the record, on which he places such stress, he would have discovered that Brazil, prior to the tariff increase in the tariff act, was an important supplier of manganese to the United States. Despite the tariff increase in 1930, Brazil since then has exported quantities of manganese to the United States. Aside from this American owners of manganese, essential in the manufacture of steel, have thought it advisable to conserve supplies in the event of a situation arising similar to that during the World War, when the United States found itself with only two months' supplies on hand when it entered the conflict.

They Rush In

The latest pamphlet of this nationalistic movement includes a quotation from Walter Bagehot, as follows: "And as . . . international trade . . . is an excessively difficult subject of inquiry, we may expect to find many parts of it very hard to reduce to anything like simplicity when new encumbrances are added. . . . Nothing is commoner than to see statements on it put forth as axioms which would take half a book really to prove or disprove."

Where even experts tread with hesitancy, economic nationalists, in a pamphlet of thirty pages, undauntingly set their opinions against those of the world on questions so varied, subtle and intricate as international trade, monetary policy, and other matters, each of which would require, as Bagehot rightly says, half a book really to prove or disprove.

International Payments

The impractical demands of these extreme economic nationalists are exposed to view in their criticisms of the Department of Commerce studies on our balance of international payments. They apparently would ignore the fact that these studies have been made carefully upon its limited natural resources.

Alien to American Ideas

The self-containment movement has its roots not in American but in foreign soil. It is an effort to hold up certain trends in other centuries as worthy of emulation for the United States and a model upon which we should pattern our future political and economic systems. There is no analogy between our reactions to the war period and those of some other countries that have embarked upon new and uncharted seas. We find nothing in the novel courses pursued by some European nations to tempt us from the familiar paths that have led the United States in its upward march politically, commercially and socially.

Experience Has Been Valuable

Temporary emergency measures in a period of world depression have not dimmed our faith that the past has much to offer of experience, knowledge and practice, as indispensable prerequisites to any intelligent advance toward broadening vistas of economic security and social progress. Enduring progress grows out of the experiences of the past. Those who envisage the coming of a new era based upon revolutionary departure from the past—those who see in nationalistic trends abroad a warning to Americans to be prepared for similar changes here—judge the character and temper of the American people and fail to comprehend the broad distinction between European reaction to adversity and that of the United States.

American Traditions

Our temporary recovery measures include more intense concern for the future of our foreign trade. They have left no permanent restraints upon individualism which are not in conformity with constitutional limitations. We have not abandoned our belief in the rugged individualism which expresses the spirit of the American people. The changes which have come denote progress, for we continue to draw upon the past for guidance and direction as to the future.

Lauds Trade Pacts

Development of International Trade Seen Vital to Recovery

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domestic needs has been offset by corresponding difficulties in seeking to re-establish former relations to world markets. International conferences have asked for a more efficient distribution of commodities throughout the world, stable price levels and stabilization of currencies, only to be answered by additional trade barriers, increased monetary instability, transfer difficulties and other obstacles that prevent a return to sound economic principles.

Adherence to unsound political concepts, and worship of the false gods of collectivism and dictatorship, with all of their discriminatory and trade-restricting principles, have in large part created these conditions so injurious to the interests of world trade and business recovery.

The world markets lost by nations the aim at restricting imports and the promotion of bilateral as opposed to multilateral methods of trade are difficult to compute in the present confused conditions that mark international trade in general. It is certain, however, that the leading countries are satisfied with conditions as they exist.

Agreement With Canada

The trade agreement made between Canada and the United States will be hailed with general satisfaction as evidence of the desire of these neighboring countries to improve their commercial relations and to provide mutual opportunities for an expansion of their trade. For several years past committees of the United States and Canadian Chambers of Commerce have met in conference with the object of suggesting a common ground of agreement in respect to the principles that should govern future trade between the two countries. Favoring the uninterrupted growth of trade across the border, the joint committee of both chambers emphasized the urgent need for mitigation of harassing customs regulations which, more than tariffs, have a damaging effect upon the commerce of both countries.

The committee also affirmed as of chief importance that mutual trade negotiations to be successful should be conducted on the principle of affording reasonable competition in their respective industrial conditions.

Promise for the Future

With increasing business stability on both sides of the border, it has been found possible to negotiate a trade agreement based on mutual tariff modifications which will admit of more settled and satisfactory conditions over a substantial period of time.

The greater part of the world is living under the delusion that economic nationalism is a paying advantage. Internal booms and domestic improvement in some of these countries have blinded some to the reality of a situation which exhibits none of the signs of permanence associated with constructive and sound commercial policies.

While we dismiss as outside the bounds of practical politics the viewpoint which urges the opening of the United States market to international foreign competition, we on the other hand, are firmly convinced that a reasonable and orderly exchange of goods and services benefits not only the country that supplies them, but the countries also that accept them.

Political Considerations

It is a chief aim of our council to aid in the disentangling of the world trade situation. The important factors that surround it, it is important to bear in mind, however, that these difficulties involve not only economic, but political considerations as well. While we seek to co-operate with the rest of the world in finding a way back to more normal commercial relationships, as American business men we should avoid interference in international affairs that are strictly and more properly the concern and responsibility of the other governments.

We are emerging from trying years that have tested our faith in principles which in the past have governed our trade relations with the rest of the world. In general, the experiences of the last six years have revived our faith in the enduring qualities of a nation which continues to have its industrial and commercial roots in the fruitful soil of individual enterprise.

Washington Raises School Allotment

OLYMPIA, Wash.—State payments to school districts for the 1935-36 school year will total 23 cents a pupil a day, Dr. N. D. Showalter, superintendent of public instruction, reports.

This is the largest allotment from state funds on record, the superintendent says. Last year's allotment was 16 cents a pupil a day. Dr. Showalter predicts next year's allotment will reach 25 cents, the maximum allowed by law.

When the school year opened, Dr. Showalter assured districts of 22 cents a day, the first time in history his department promised a definite sum. The state pays 55 per cent of the cost of education, the counties 11 per cent and districts 34 per cent.

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CONSTITUTIONS

A CORSET, CORSETTIES or SEAMSTRESS. The corset is a most important article of dress. It should be made to suit the figure and the fashion. It should be made of the best material and should be made by a skilled seamstress. It should be made to last and should be made to be comfortable. It should be made to be a help to the figure and not a hindrance. It should be made to be a part of the dress and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the woman and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the life and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the world and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the future and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the past and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the present and not a separate article. It should be made to be a part of the whole and not a separate article. 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DIFFICULTIES are God's errands; and when we are sent upon them we should esteem it a proof of God's confidence—as a compliment from Him.—H. W. BEECHER.

Daily Features

NO CIVILIZATION is complete which does not include the dumb and defenseless of God's creatures within the sphere of charity and mercy.—QUEEN VICTORIA.

Sunbonnet Sue



Prepared for The Christian Science Monitor

Mr. Scroggins

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Fib, Peace Bringer

ARMINA, Boston Common's first robin, teetered back and forth hesitatingly on the front doorstep of the Scroggins home. She looked this way and that, ruffled her wings, swelled out her chest, and finally knocked, or rather pecked, on the door. It swung open so suddenly that Aramina was greatly confused because it was hard for her to believe that her pecks had done that to a door. They hadn't—and Aramina was relieved to find out that fact. The door had been swung open by Mr. Scroggins himself.



self, hatted and caned for his morning walk.

"My dear!" he said. Aramina blushed prettily, thinking he meant her. Mrs. Scroggins bustled in from the kitchen thinking the same.

Araminta hopped inside and chirped, "Good morning!" in her clearest, brightest May voice. "You wonder why I came?" she said.

Mr. and Mrs. Scroggins bowed. "Well," said Mr. S., "we were just glad to see you. But I suppose in time we might have wondered."

Araminta hopped onto a chair-back. "Two of my best robin friends are in trouble."

Mr. S. hurred. Mrs. S. said, "You don't say?"

"Mr. and Mrs. Redder," said Aramina. "You may know them."

The Scroggins nodded. "Last year they built a nest in the flowering crab. This year they came back to it and they have told me how lovely it was to get back home."

The Scroggins nodded and smiled at each other.

"But a large grackle, almost from the first day they have been home, has been making himself very disagreeable. He scolds and calls and flies here and there."

Mr. Scroggins hurred. Mrs. Scroggins clucked and then said, "Dear me!"

"It is so upsetting that Mr. Redder finally has said he would leave the Garden and the Common entirely. 'Peace is what we want,' he said. And Mrs. Redder agrees with him. Now what can be done?"

Scroggins leaned on his cane and hurred at some length. Mrs. Scroggins went into one of her brownest studies.

A whirl of wings came through the door.

"Fib," said everyone, in one breath, or rather three breaths that sounded like one. Fib flew beside Aramina on the chair back.

"Everything is fixed," he said. The amazement was general.

"I made friends with the grackle and found him a place where he can live with some of his friends, a very nice place. And he isn't going to annoy the Redders again. So he says."

A Flying Vacation



Flying With One Motor

THE thing I had greatly—well, the thing I had at least greatly wondered about—had come upon me. I was up in a loaded twin-motored airplane; and one of the motors had been deliberately cut off.

If I ever got out of this mess sound in mind and members, I should certainly never have another doubt about safe flying!

I knew that the giant sky-liners were built to withstand loads and strains of several times the extreme expectations. I knew that the wings couldn't break off—I'd seen the construction. Our pilot had once put one of these giant Douglas planes, with more than a normal load, into a power dive—full speed downward. When the plane had attained its maximum speed, he had suddenly pulled back on the "stick" (the co-pilot had to help pull), and the plane had turned abruptly into a level course without straining a part! And I knew that these planes could not come tumbling out of the sky—they are stabilized and fool-proof.

But I had always wondered what might happen if one of the motors of a twin-motored plane went "hay-wire."

Well, of course, nothing happened. With the left motor doing all the pulling, the giant craft had a tendency to shoulder around to the right; but some "left rudder" straightened our course. Naturally, we lost speed. But I was astonished to note how little elevation we were losing, even without accelerating the left motor.

"Now watch that climb indicator," shouted the pilot. The pointer was a trifle under "level."

He moved the lever controlling the gas supply of the left motor—but only the merest fraction of an inch. Our speed increased, and we stopped losing elevation.

"Now, watch again," he yelled. (One has to yell in the cockpit.) The plane was nosing upward—I could feel it climb.

"Look at the speedometer," he yelled. With only one motor, and it accelerated only slightly beyond normal speed, our giant craft, with a normal load, was climbing sharply at 100 miles an hour! And there was lots of power left.

So let a motor stall! Let it drop out—there would be just that much less excess baggage! And with this thought there was torn out by the roots any remaining uncertainty about the safety of air travel.—Daily Features Editor.

(To Be Continued)

Party Fun

Readers are invited to send to this feature directions of party games which have brought pleasure. One dollar will be paid for each contribution accepted.

Matches on a Bottle

AN EQUAL number of matches are given to each person—usually about 20, if six persons are playing. Be sure to select matches which have square sides.

A ginger ale bottle is then stood on the floor, where the players sit. In turn, matches are placed carefully across the mouth of the bottle. The person who knocks any matches off with the one he puts on must take all the spilled matches into his pile.

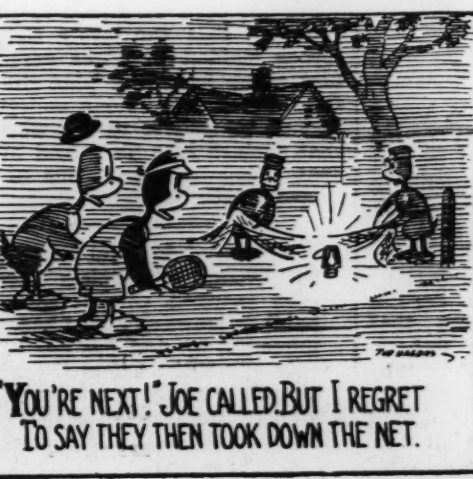
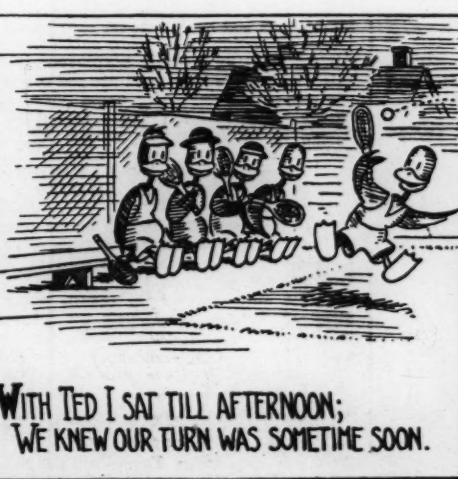
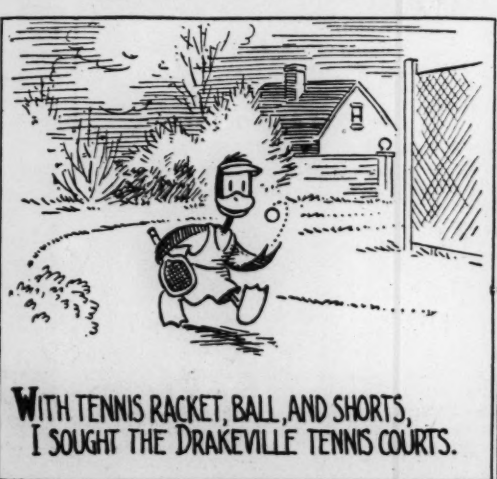
The object of the game is to see who gets rid of his matches first. It is astonishing how many matches can be put on in this way, sometimes as many as 120.—Priscilla Riddell, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Life: There then's the die-hard who thinks the world is flat and the music goes sideways and sideways.

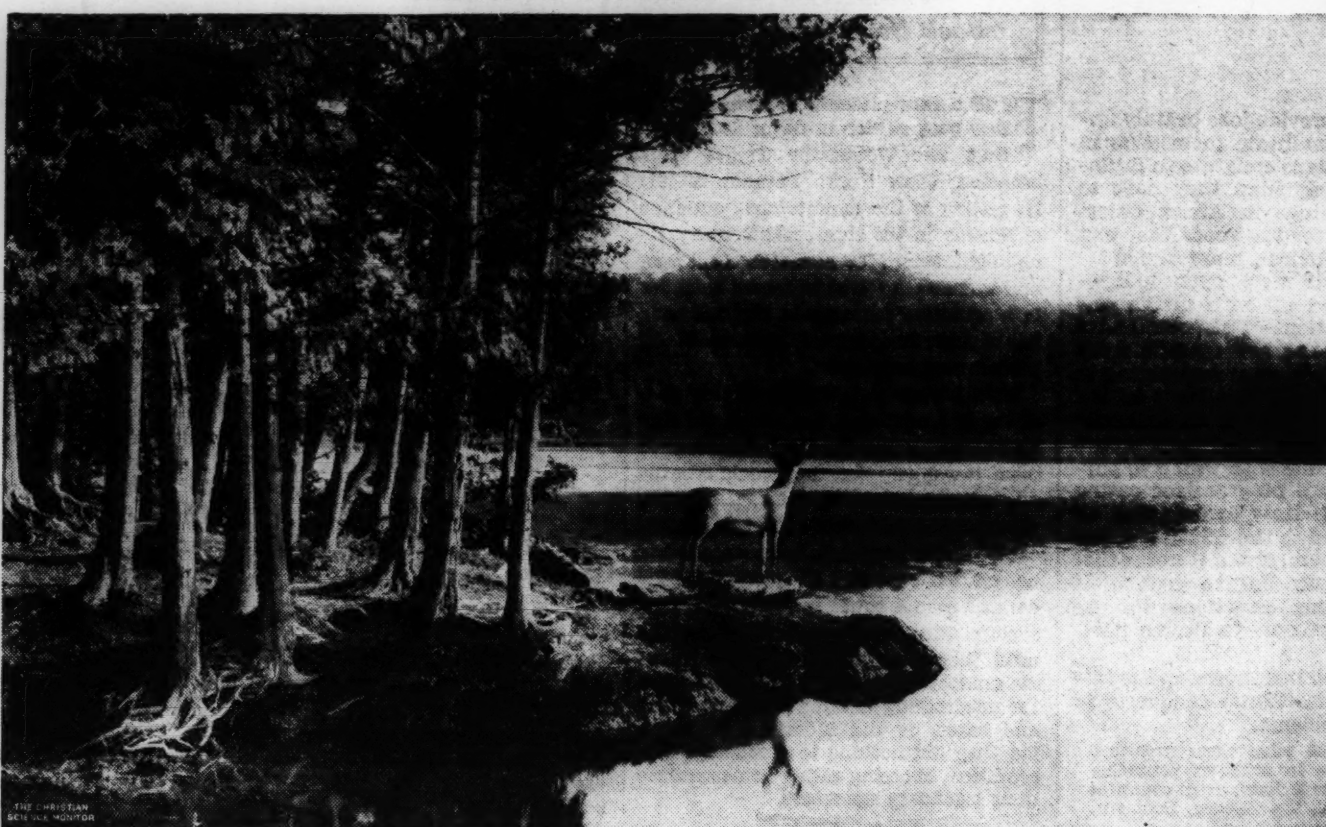
Tubby and Buddy & Co.—Poetic Rivalry



The Adventures of Waddles—Onlookers



Antlered Sentinel in the Cove



So Many Friends Have Admired This Striking Picture, That Mrs. Harriet W. Francis of Pittsfield, Mass., Has Chosen the Monitor Camera Club as the Fitting Channel for Sharing It. The Stag Was Nosed Into the Breeze and Was Not Aware of the Presence of the Camera. A. P. Yates, Incidentally, Pictures for the Camera Club Should Be Glossy Prints (No Negatives); and Full Details (Including Name and Address of Sender) Should Be on the Back of Each. One Dollar Apiece Is Paid for Pictures Accepted.

Facts About the Bible

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The Downfall of Dagon

WHEN the Philistines had captured the famous and sacred "ark of God" as a result of their victory over the Israelites, they brought it to Ashdod and placed it in the temple of one of their pagan deities, Dagon, the fish-god (compare the Hebrew word day—meaning "fish").

On visiting this shrine the following morning, they were amazed and startled to find that their idol had fallen to the ground before the ark (I Sam. 5:3); however, they set it in its accustomed place, only to discover within a few hours that it had again crashed to the earth, while on this occasion "the head of Dagon and both the palms of his hands were cut off upon the threshold" (verse 4).

Panic-stricken by the downfall of their supposed deity and by other calamities which came upon them at the same time, the men of Ashdod lost no time in sending to another city this "ark of God," to the presence of which they attributed these various misfortunes. (verse 8).

Unfamiliar Faces
Mrs. de Fashion (at children's party): "Marguerite!"
Nursemaid: "Yes, madam?"
Mrs. de Fashion: "It's time for us to go home. Which of these children is mine?" — Whitewright (Texas) Sun.

Brevities

St. Louis Star-Times: The present trend indicates that by mid-summer this country will be heavily infested with candidates and Major Bowes' amateur radio units.

Troy (N. Y.) Record: Joseph Stalin runs Russia on a salary of a bit more than \$3 a day. We haven't heard, but perhaps some member of his family helps out by writing a column.

Weston (Ore.) Leader: Between 4000 and 5000 postmasters are still Republicans. For that matter, they're the stillest of all Republicans.

Punch: "Some men never take their hats off to anybody," says a writer. And how on earth do they get their hair cut?

Life: There then's the die-hard who thinks the world is flat and the music goes sideways and sideways.

In Lighter Vein

A Word a Day

A company of colored recruits had received an announcement they would be drilled on the morrow on how to attack a fortification.

When the company had been dismissed, a big, awkward private approached the corporal in charge of his squad and asked: "What am a fortification?"

The corporal seemed to swell with contempt at such ignorance. "Don't you know no 'rithmetic at all? Everybody knows dat a fortification ain't nuthin' more'n two twentifications." — American Legion Monthly.

The Drawback

A moderator of the Church of Scotland arrived at a country station to catch a train, only to discover that it had left five minutes earlier. He remonstrated with a porter, and asked if it would not have been possible to inform intending passengers of the change.

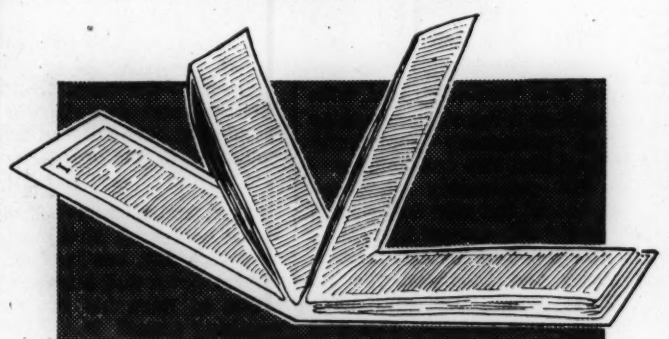
The porter merely made reply: "Ye may be moderator, and ye may be a D. D., but if ye were a can o' mulk the railway wad think mair o' ye." — Tit-Bits.

Figures of Speech

"You are expected," said the serious adviser, "to work for the interests of the nation and not solely for your own constituency."

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum. "Times have changed. Formerly when summer came around I was supposed to 'mend my fences.' Now I am expected to burn my bridges." — Washington Star.

For That Lecture



THE material to be used for the folder is of approximately the same weight as that used in manila filing folders, and can be obtained from stationery stores in large sheets, which can easily be cut to the size desired. The particular dimensions of this particular folder are 3 inches by 13, but they can be varied. This particular size adapts itself both to being carried in a pocket or bag and to being filed.

The printed report of the lecture should be cut in strips and pasted together. (Care should be taken in trimming the columns to leave a small margin at the bottom of each strip so that the next column can be pasted on this margin.) When the lecture is pasted in one entire strip, the top may be pasted to the top of the folder (leave a small margin at the top); then the lecture should be folded back and forth and the last part should be pasted to the bottom of the folder.

For convenience, a gummed label may be pasted on the back of the folder. This label may contain the lecturer's name, the name of the lecture, and the date, if desired.

Vocations

Idea That Have Brought Supply

[Readers of The Christian Science Monitor are invited to share in this column ideas that have brought supply. It is paid for each item accepted.]

Garbage Containers

IN THE ordinances of a small western city an alert young man has discovered a source of worth-while income, and at the same time he has given a genuine service.

These ordinances state that all garbage must be wrapped and tied before being placed in the garbage can. Housewives continually find themselves out of paper when garbage is to be disposed of, or else the wet garbage soaks through the paper and the whole parcel goes to pieces.

Buying a quantity of light, strong cardboard from a paper wholesaler, this young man cut it into shape for quickly folding into boxes. He got his patterns by taking apart a factory-made box. By using heavy shears he was able to cut out three or four boxes at a time. He secured the sides in place by means of an office hand punch which put in a wire staple and clinched it. In each box he put a rubber band cut from an old tire tube. When the box was filled, this band was slipped around it, securely closing the top and strengthening the whole thing. He made these boxes in two sizes, one and two quarts, and by leaving the tops open, he was able to stack them one within the other in a small space.

He has found he can sell these cheaply enough to appeal to most housewives and still make a profit. Several stores have undertaken to handle them for him at a nominal commission.—J. K. Ponoka, Alta.

Puzzle Corner Answers

1. Knowledge is proud that he has learned so much; Wisdom is humble that he knows no more.—Copper.

2. Crowning, Crowing, Rowing, Owing, Wing, Win, In, I.

3. 79 pineapples.

4. Fir, Aster, Opal, Oregon.

5. George Underwood, Andover, Massachusetts.

Parliamentary Practice

Questions for discussion herein, and in their turn, are answered in this feature by Arthur as Lewis, author of "Parliamentary Rules Simplified."

Change of Title

Question: If a church votes to change the name of its central committee from "board of directors" to "executive board," and amends its bylaws to that effect, is it necessary to change its articles of incorporation under the state law?

Answer: Just what step would be necessary in the case outlined above would have to be ascertained by reference to the statutes. The state laws relative to incorporated bodies, particularly religious corporations, vary. It would depend also upon whether the central committee or board were named in the charter or articles of incorporation. In some states it would be sufficient to file a supplementary affidavit.

A Word a Day

What's In a Name

BANNISTER is an occupational surname. It stands for *Banestier*, which in its turn is a French word for one who handled the cross-bow. The English tongue did not take kindly to this, as to many other French words, and altered it to *Bannister*, and also to *Balister* and *Balster*, both of which became established surnames. In ancient records the name appears in the Latin form, *Balistrarius*.

Burton—This is a surname derived from some one of the 60 villages named Burton in England. The popularity of this place name is due to its meaning. The name is from the Anglo-Saxon *burg*, and means "borough town," just as *Barton*, nearly as popular, stands for "barley-town," from the Anglo-Saxon *beretun*. The compound surname *Haliburton* means "the holy dwelling."

Charles is a patronymic surname derived from the great king of medieval romance, *Charlemagne*. Like *Arthur*, the King of the Round Table, this name has left no derivatives, nor for that matter has *George*, the patron saint of England. In the Old Rolls the name appears as *Philip de Charleye*, and *John Charley*, so that it has come down to us practically unaltered.

Dabbs is a surname from the personal name *Robert*. From this name we have the shortened forms *Rob*, *Hob*, and *Dobbs*. In the north of England *Dobbs* became *Dabbs*, in the same way as we have the variants *Roper* and *Raper*.

What They Say
The More Abundant Life
"In the small town, still linked to the soil and having more affinity with the country than with the big city it so mistakenly emulates, people are still aware of the procession of the seasons, seed-time and harvest, sunrise and sunset, the night and its stars, which for the city dweller—his earth platted with concrete, his sky narrowed by brick canyons—have almost ceased to exist."—Ernest Elmo Calkins.

Americanism
"Most Americans are still ready to put up a pretty strenuous fight to keep our country from reaching that stage where the people feel so helpless that they are ready to permit some sawdust Caesar to reorganize things along the lines of the totalitarian state."—Dr. John W. Studebaker.

Gentlemen
"Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Eden, Mr. Roosevelt, and Mr. Hull all can say what they have to say and still be gentlemen."—H. V. Kaltenborn.

By LE PELLEY

1. Cryptogram
PORTLAND, Maine, reader writes that prior to the publication of cryptograms in this column, he never attempted to solve one. Now he finds that "it's great fun." And he goes one better—he sends a crypt for other readers to solve.

VRIUYQJAJ SP ZNIEQ CMWQ
MJ MWP YJWNRJQ PI BELM;
USPQIB SP MEBFYJ CMWQ
MJ VRIUP RI BINJ.

—LIUJZN.

2. A Reducing Exercise
This one reaches us from New York City. Start with the word "CROWNING." Try reducing this to the letter "I" by dropping one letter at a time, each time leaving the remaining letters in order to spell a proper word.

3. Dividing the Pineapples
A Chicago reader shares the following problem: "Three men, stranded on an island, collect all the available pineapples, which are divided equally. During the night Mr. A awakes and divides the pineapples into three equal parts, there being one left over, which he discards. He divides his portion. Mr. C then awakes with the same idea. He does exactly as Mr. A and Mr. B have done before him. In the morning when they all arise, they divide the remaining pineapples, there being one left over, which they discard. How many pineapples were there to begin with?"

4. Hidden Words
From a Wellesley, Mass., reader, came the following sentences. Locate the hidden words.
1. A deposit of iron ore was discovered. (a tree)
2. Flora sternly looked at her. (a flower)
3. They will develop a large tract of land. (a gem)
4. Two more gondoliers came into sight. (a State)
The letters in each hidden word will be found in their correct order in each sentence.

5. Rebus
And since this seems to be developing into a rebus column today, we'll wind up with a good old-timer which comes from a Dorchester, Mass., reader. This is how a man's name and correct address is said to have appeared on an envelope. Can you decipher it?

Wood
George
Massachusetts
Hint for Cryptographers: Today's crypt is a quotation from "Copper."
(Answers Appear Elsewhere)

Resolve
YOU may be whatever you resolve to be. Determine to be something. "I cannot" never accomplished anything. "I will" has wrought wonders.—J. Haynes.

Daily Anecdote

Speed vs. Endurance

Prepared for The Christian Science Monitor

EURIPIDES worked slowly. Composition of his "Tragedies" extended over a long period of time. He complained to the poet Alcibiades that he had with much difficulty finished only four verses in three days.

Alcibiades, who wrote with the lightning speed of a bad author, confided that in the same time he had composed 100 verses with perfect ease.

"Perhaps," replied Euripides, "but there is a difference between our compositions. Your verses will live for three days. I write mine to live forever."

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Editorials

Roman Triumph

ITALY is satisfied. Il Duce says so. And who should know better? When Italy was dissatisfied it was Mussolini who felt it. When Italy wanted to wage a war against Ethiopia, who knew best that Italy wanted to do so? Not the Italians, at any rate; the war was unpopular with them when it started. But Mussolini knew—even if they didn't—what his people wanted.

Now they have it. Or at any rate, Mussolini says so: "Believe me, this victory in East Africa puts Italy into the group of 'satisfied' powers." Thus he is quoted.

Satisfied—with what? What is this dissatisfaction that ambitious national leaders exploit? And do they really eradicate the causes of dissatisfaction?

Perhaps Italy's dissatisfaction was only sentimental.

The stain of Adowa had to be removed, maybe. Or national pride demanded an increase of colonial possessions. But the conquest of Ethiopia does not rewrite or expunge from history the barbarous mutilation of Italian troops at Adowa. On the contrary it has written another chapter of barbarity.

As for national pride in colonial possessions, is that so different from personal pride in any material possession? Can that pride be satisfied by anything other than the admiration of others for the possessor of some desirable object, or the envy of others, or at the very best their selfish joy at a neighbor's success? Who admires this Italian conquest, or envies the Italians that particular part of the world called Ethiopia, or rejoices in the defeat of a small member of the League of Nations by an unlawful war?

Or perhaps Italy's dissatisfaction was economic.

True, militarism tends to expand a population faster than is economically feasible. Government-subsidized birth-rates have small relation to the number of jobs available, or to the space in which peoples must live together. But will con-

quest of Ethiopia provide jobs in Italy unless Italians can maintain themselves in Ethiopia? Will Italians emigrate to Ethiopia any more freely than they have to Italy's other holdings in Africa unless there is a market for the goods they can produce on their African plantations?

If world markets were open today—instead of boarded up with tariffs and other trade restrictions—Italy would have had access to all the raw materials she could use. Raw materials are clamoring to be sold. But the people who want to buy them cannot do so because they cannot sell their own products and thus secure the money and credits with which to purchase. Has Il Duce's program for easing economic strain in Italy by invading an African state added to the solution of the fundamental problem, or did it not rather aggravate Italy's own burden under that problem by adding sanctions to the already existing barriers to Italian prosperity?

Sir Normal Angell has shown up the fallacy of pursuing territorial conquests to solve economic problems:

Conquest does not solve these problems. They are as severe in countries possessing great territories, like Britain, as in countries which possess small, like Sweden, Denmark, Switzerland.

But for the moment, Italy is satisfied. Or Mussolini is. Politicians stay in power by knowing how to find unifying issues on which the attention of their populations can be concentrated. There is no unifying issue so simple in its appeal, so strong emotionally, as a war. And if it be a foreign war, so that the people at home can be comparatively comfortable, unexposed to the horrors of the battlefield, and unappraised of the sufferings of their soldiers and the mistakes of officialdom, real solution of fundamental questions can be postponed. In that postponement no doubt are some of the reasons for Premier Mussolini's satisfaction today. National leaders are satisfied when they can make the people think that the people are satisfied.

Appraising a Prize Play

MANY persons, understandably, are wondering why the Pulitzer prize play award went to "Idiot's Delight," by Robert E. Sherwood, rather than to "Wintersest," by Maxwell Anderson, or "Dead End," by Sidney Kingsley. To be sure, there were some people whom "Wintersest" made slightly uncomfortable because of its challenge to the spectators: What is your attitude toward justice? But if one could acknowledge himself guilty in the abstract as a member of a society that tolerated injustice in many guises, it was possible to sit before the play in absorbed interest, even if one could not go the whole way with the author in his theory that modern colloquialisms may be expressed in blank verse, seriously.

Many socially minded persons thought that "Dead End" might win the award because it showed how environment tends to make gangsters of boys in the slums. The author made it clear that slums are a part of the general guilt, though he put his message in the form of a melodramatic entertainment. Again a play which some persons found uncomfortable.

Only persons of sensibility, apparently, who object to being subjected to pointless disgust, object to "Idiot's Delight." It is a jolly show, according to majority opinion, with its two popular stars, Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne. He masquerades as a cheap hoover from America, and she as a mysterious demimonde, an old flame of his. Their reunion largely constitutes the play's action. For further spice there is a night club floor show. The cast represents a miscellaneous group of persons caught in a European war zone some time in the conjunctural future.

Socially the merit of Mr. Sherwood's play resides in its antimilitarism whenever the incidents and discussions touch upon warring. Its demerit is that the personages are mostly vulgar and ill-mannered. Their degenerate talk is so vicious that it causes squeamish spectators' hair to curl. They feel no inclination to laugh at the intended humor. As compared with "Wintersest" and "Dead End," which never resort to foulness to raise laughter, it is not apparent in what particulars "Idiot's Delight" was preferred to either of them—according to the terms of the award—as "the American play, performed in New York, which shall best represent the educational power and value of the stage."

It would appear that these ends can better be served by plays that by inference inculcate good manners and good morals than by a play—however praiseworthy its pacifist intimations—that depicts "amusingly" civilization in defeat.

Building for Beauty

NOW that the Adelphi section, long a London landmark, is finally coming down, one might perhaps wonder what is its last message to the twentieth century. No doubt Robert and John Adam, who built it, would not be loath that this message should be connected with architecture.

The main thing about the designs of the Adam brothers is not that they were based on classical Renaissance models, but that they tried to combine a whole group of single buildings and fuse them into a single whole. Nowhere did they succeed better than in the

Adelphi, which they planned as a fine and dignified arrangement of streets and avenues that should give to the slope between the Strand and the Thames an appearance not inferior to the famous ruins of Spolito.

A clear grasp of the fundamentals lying back of the conception of the Adelphi would do much to add beauty to the large suburbs that seem to arise almost overnight on the outskirts of big modern cities. In these places the tendency is to build in terms of detached and semidetached villas, and in consequence there often springs up a mass of jumbled little houses not designed in any very clear relation to each other, which soon gives a shabby and forlorn appearance to the neighborhood.

The Adam method of thinking in terms of streets and districts rather than of single dwellings has in part been adopted in the great blocks of flats of some continental cities, and underlies many schemes of town planning. But there is room for its extended use.

Homer and Helen

REALLY, something should be done about it. After fussing about and excavating layers and layers of the debris of ancient civilizations, erudite archaeologists now tell us that Helen of Troy didn't elope with Paris.

Unkindest cut of all, the "too beautiful Helen" wasn't at the bottom of the unpleasantness between the Trojans and the Greeks. Because there never was such a lady. These learned professors say she is only a myth. Shattered, and gone the way of all the other illusions perdues, is the spectacle of the fair and flirtatious Helen, repentant of her fickleness, turning to domesticity and a spinning wheel (the latter had to be golden, of course).

Homer certainly does not. Consider, for instance, that other awful *faux pas* about the invulnerability of Achilles. You remember that no matter how wide open he left himself, he never had to take the count. He might stay down till the referee counted nine, but he was up before he got to ten, until one sad day Paris, unfairly abetted by Apollo, who was acting umpire, jabbed him on the heel. And to think of the generations of schoolboys who have groaned over weary pages of Greek, only to find out that all that stuff about his being invulnerable just wasn't so; for if the author of the "Iliad" and the "Odyssey" were consistent, why did Achilles refuse to enter into any little scrap until he was all wrapped up in celestial armor?

For our part, we intend to go right on believing that the lovely Helen was a joyous maiden who was careless about how many fraternity pins she collected from Greek and Trojan collegians alike just as we believe in the wooden horse that ambled into Troy and are certain that Cleopatra's nose was of just the proper length.

AN ITEM of doubtful interest is that the Dionne quintuplets have never been spanked. One of them had a habit of crawling out of bed, and the nurse got up and put her back seventy-one times before the baby was trained. Perhaps if the nurse had to go back the seventy-second time the baby would have got its spanking.

Hall of the Mountain King

Book News of the Day

IT IS a rare pleasure to come upon a new book so rich in flavor as *BYROND SING THE WOODS*, by Trygve Gulbransen (New York: Putnam, \$2.50). Its setting is the mountainous outlands of Norway in the eighteenth century, its main characters the powerful, regal men and women who lived in feudal splendor in a primitive countryside. But the book has a universal appeal because of its wisdom and heartiness.

Main protagonists are the mighty men of the Björndal clan, for whom old Ane Hamarrbø prophesied great wonders. Of them, it was said that they would eventually rise as high as men could rise, though none understood the real significance of this prophecy, not even old Ane herself. For centuries the men of Björndal had been a power in the countryside, accumulating land and wealth by force until they were almost as powerful as the aristocratic Von Galls who dominated the neighboring valley. They were feared and hated by the Björklund peasants, but they did nothing to ameliorate this condition, choosing rather to accentuate their legendary fierceness.

The story opens with Torgeir Björndal going single handed into the woods on a bear hunt after the peasants came to plead with him to save their community from the maddened beast. It is significant that he went, not so much to help the peasants, but to avenge the loss of some of his own kin in contests with bears of the same breed as the one he was seeking. Vengeance had always been one of the main motivating instincts of the Björndal men, and Torgeir went to his own destruction by yielding to it.

His son, Dag, proud of the blood of ancient chieftains which coursed through him, was familiar with the prophecy accorded his family, but he did not realize that he would be the one to fulfill it. The story of his gradual transformation from a vengeful, headstrong youth to a wise and kind man makes one of the most moving character studies of recent fiction. When Dag realized the emptiness of riches and vast possessions unless they are used to better the lives of others; when he finally devoted his time and fortune to relieving those he had hitherto oppressed, he had truly risen to the great heights that had been foretold.

No longer did Björndal men inspire fear and hate through their aggressiveness and love of power. Dag finally uprooted these evil traditions, and with added strength as a result, governed by kindness a prosperous community which rendered him love and homage.

Dag is the dominating character throughout, but all the men and women are superlatively well-drawn: The gentle Dorothea who gave Dag his first conception of mercy and goodness; the old soldier, Klinge; young Dag, and many others in and about Björndal hall. The excellence of characterization, the vibrant yet deeply thoughtful narrative, the magical setting of the old hall and the singing woods beyond, all combine to make one of the finest books of the year.

M. W. S.

Letters to The Christian Science Monitor

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"Courtesy Across the Counter"

TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR:

The pointed and pertinent editorial, "Courtesy Across the Counter," in the Monitor pleased me so much that I cannot refrain from writing you to express my special appreciation for it. Low wages, in the opinion of many today, is the worst form of business crime and the fundamental and direct cause of unemployment, poverty and depression. Depressions are business depressions, caused by unfair business practices among too large a group of business men, and they are not the fault of the Government. Fair-minded business men know this well. It is a point which needs to be understood clearly by all people. That it is not yet clearly understood is patent, for the Government is often blamed (whether Hoover or Roosevelt) in attempting to heal the wounds caused by bad business practices, while the blame should be put where it belongs, in order to make genuine progress in rectifying things.

Department stores, or stores of any kind, should be the strongest advocates of high wages. If for no other reason than that their business depends upon it. They should be exemplars in this direction, too. However, in far too many instances they have been and are among the lowest wage payers. One looks in vain for any hint of such a condition in the daily press, probably because of fear of the mental state of the two peoples. In the first years of this century the British Fleet was concentrated in the North Sea—the admirals wanted to be "ready," and the country acquiesced.

Gradually the Triple Entente became "ready," determined not to be bullied by Prussian militarism; gradually the Triple Alliance (dominated by Germany) thought it saw itself being encircled by a powerful coalition. The final result was a frightful conflagration lasting for four years. This thing was really brought to pass by an immense mountain of falsity in the thought of hundreds of millions of people. I think the "week" in January, 1906, was an aggravation of this state of thought, but only one of many similar aggravations covering a long period of years. It was clearly in no way "decisive."

"History Need Not Repeat"

TO THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR:

In your editorial, "History Need Not Repeat," you say that a "decisive week" was a certain seven days in January, 1906. Are you sure of this? At the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian War in 1870 a letter from Thomas Carlyle to The Times had a powerful effect in preventing the British Government from intervening on behalf of France, such was the temper of the time.

After 1870 English people were more and more brought up in an atmosphere of antagonism to Germany and of jealousy of German prosperity. "Made in Germany" were bywords in England in the last quarter of the nineteenth century.

The Emperor, William II, on coming to the throne in 1888, thought he saw his country's merchant marine at the mercy of the British Fleet, just as Americans have thought they saw their own merchant marine in a similar position. Consequently, on the fall of Bismarck, there began a race between the German Admiralty and the British, this race being made possible on the one hand by the mental attitude of our people, and on the other by the arrogance of the Prussian militarists. The race was really the effect of the mental state of the two peoples. In the first years of this century the British Fleet was concentrated in the North Sea—the admirals wanted to be "ready," and the country acquiesced.

London, Eng. WILLIAM C. BROOKS

[Editor's Note.—History is always a process, but the French and English military conversations held in that week of 1906 opened a channel and lacked a reversal of the trend of thinking which Mr. Brooks so well explains—the process swept on to 1914 and 1936.]

Neglected Oars



Frying Pan Alley

M. R. TITE walked down Frying Pan Alley, and saw nothing at all—he was pondering how he could creep out of paying his income tax.

Mrs. Gossip walked down Frying Pan Alley, her eyes popping over all the tit-bits of gossip she had collected. She had come to the alley to see Mrs. Meek's back room. She had heard that Mrs. Meek had fine new curtains.

Mrs. Gossip looked up at the room and her eyes nearly popped out of her head. Surely those curtains were made of Mrs. Meek's last summer's dress! The dress had caused quite a stir on the avenue, all had wondered which bargain basement it had come from! Now, here was food for thought!

Was Mrs. Meek's dress made of curtains? Or were the curtains made of Mrs. Meek's dress? Mrs. Gossip hurried off, wondering how many of her friends she could tell in one breath!

A cat squirmed down Frying Pan Alley—tall half-mast. Nothing had come his way that day, but just one used mouse. He sat down and blinked. Was it worth while to wash his face? But hark! a soothing sound! Yes! No! Yes! It was! Fried fish!

"Here's hoping," murmured the cat, and started to wash his face. (Voice from kitchen window) "Well, now, if you can't fry fish better than that, throw it to that cat." Splash! Exit cat with fish.

A boy kicked a stone down Frying Pan Alley. "What did anything matter?" "Who cares?" Was he not just one of hundreds of boys with very little small change in pocket?

He leaned against the wall. A gray-haired lady at the window above him was trying to open it wider. He looked up, then reached to help her. She gave him a beaming smile.

"Have a cookie! I've just made some." He took it and gulped it down (what a cookie!).

"Would you like to take some home?" she said. (Would he!)

"See, I can pack some in this little empty box."

A sense of home came over the boy. He had not written home for some weeks—too discouraged! He walked off briskly, whistling as he went.

A Stranger came to Frying Pan Alley. A tiny rose bud lay near his feet. He picked it up, shaking off the dust.

A small girl was busy making a little mud pie. She placed it in a tin pan. She had found some leaves and scraps of colored paper to decorate it with. The Stranger looked down at her. She looked up at him with wondering eyes. He put in her hand the rose bud. The little girl smiled shyly, then placed in his hand her little mud pie.

Two little boys ran up to her and said, "You mustn't speak to strangers."

The little girl looked up at the tall figure—wonder still in her eyes. "He isn't a stranger," she whispered. V. D.

The Wide Horizon

For Freedom to Trade

(Excerpts From an Address Before the Chamber of Commerce of the United States)

By Cordell Hull

United States Secretary of State

(First of Two Articles)

THE foreign trade program of this Government is based fundamentally upon what to us is an indisputable assumption—namely, that our domestic recovery can be neither complete nor durable unless our surplus-creating branches of production succeed in regaining at least a substantial portion of their lost foreign markets.

Our production of cotton, lard, tobacco, fruits, copper, petroleum products, automobiles, machinery, electrical and office appliances, and a host of other specialties is geared to a scale of operation the output of which exceeds domestic consumption by 10 to 50 per cent.

In his message to Congress recommending the passage of the Trade Agreement Act, the President urged the need of restoring foreign markets in order that our surplus-producing industries may be "spared in part, at least, the heartbreaking readjustments that must be necessary if the shrinkage of American foreign commerce remains permanent."

Our needs are clear: we must induce foreign countries to mitigate the obstructions which they place in the way of our shipments to their markets, and we must free our export trade from disruptive discrimination directed against it. In what ways and by what means can we provide for these needs?

When we were formulating our basic policy, there were two ways open to us to make our vital contribution to the process of economic demobilization. We could undertake a downward revision of our tariff by unilateral and autonomous action, in the hope that other nations would, as a result, also begin to move away from their present suicidal policies in the field of foreign trade. Or else we could, by the negotiation of bilateral trade agreements, attempt a mitigation of trade barriers on a reciprocal basis.

We chose the second course as offering by far the better promise of trade improvement. An autonomous reduction of our tariff would provide no assurance that our example would be followed by other nations or, if it would be followed, that the resulting mitigation of trade barriers would, in fact, apply to those commodities which are of the greatest interest to us. On the other hand, the bilateral method, combined with the principle of equality of treatment contemplates simultaneous action by many countries and, in its effects, operates to drive down excessive trade barriers throughout the world.

The process of negotiating foreign trade agreements of this type involves a task of enormous difficulty and complexity. In carrying it out, all appropriate divisions of the Government participate in a series of interdepartmental committees, and thus bring to bear upon the problem their specialized knowledge and judgment.

Our officials who are concerned with carrying out this complicated process of preparation and negotiation are actuated by only one purpose: to administer the Trade Agreements Act cautiously, conservatively, and practically, with the best interests of the country as a whole as their sole guide, and thus to carry out, scrupulously and accurately, the instructions and policy of Congress within the limits prescribed in the act. They are free, so far as is humanly possible, from partisan considerations. I do not know the politics of most of the persons engaged in this important task. I only know that some of them have had a long experience in practical business affairs, that some of them have devoted their lives to the study of industry, or agriculture, or trade, or tariffs, or economics in general. I know that each agreement, forged by their combined effort, represents an effective instrument for reopening the channels of international trade on an economic and constructive basis.

Our second primary need in the field of foreign commerce is the freeing and safeguarding of our export trade from adverse discrimination on the part of foreign nations. It is clear that the mere mitigation of the tariff, quota and other burdensome obstructions to our trade is not sufficient to enable us to regain our foreign markets; it is also necessary that the customs treatment accorded to our goods in each such market be at least as favorable as that accorded to the goods of our foreign competitors. In recent years, our trade has suffered greatly because some of our competitors have secured, in many of our most important markets, exclusive advantages which have resulted in serious discrimination against us.

We could have embarked upon a similar line of policy. We, too, could have attempted to negotiate arrangements embodying exclusive advantages for our export trade. But it was clear to us from the outset that such a policy would have provided but a precarious safeguard for our trade. It would merely have served as an incentive for each of our competitors to seek further exclusive advantages, which would have immediately set up new discriminations against our trade—to be overcome by us in turn by means of new negotiations.